

DR. BERNHARD DERNBURG TO LEAVE THE UNITED STATES

Washington, D. C., May 15.—Dr. Bernhard Dernburg, often referred to as the unofficial spokesman of Emperor William in the United States, has made plans to leave the country on his own initiative within a short time.

It became known in official quarters today that in view of the intimations that President Wilson and the cabinet were displeased with Dr. Dernburg's

speeches justifying the sinking of the Lusitania, and some of his other public utterances which they believe might be calculated to arouse sentiment of Germans in the United States against the

Washington government, friends of Dr. Dernburg here have persuaded him to leave the United States.

Just when Dr. Dernburg would leave or where he would go was not made known but it was believed he would sail for Cuba or South America.

Dr. Dernburg's activity in the United States since the beginning of the war has been closely observed by the president and other high officials here, who came to believe in the last week that a continuation of such speeches and statements might, in the event of a critical turn in relations with

Germany, menace the domestic welfare of America. It has been repeatedly denied by the German embassy, as well as by Dr. Dernburg himself, that he was a spokesman for the German government or that he had any official status. In view, however, of the fact that Dr. Dernburg was formerly colonial secretary in the German foreign office and

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WASHINGTON EXPECTS GERMANY TO CONCEDE

DISCUSSION OF LEGAL POINTS OF U. S. NOTE CONSIDERED LIKELY

Washington, May 15.—Interest continued today in official and diplomatic quarters as to the probable nature of Germany's reply to the United States' note but neither the embassy or the state department had any intimation as to the feeling in Berlin.

Among well informed diplomats as well as officials the belief existed that Germany's reply would afford a means of settlement through diplomacy.

It was thought not improbable that Germany would suspend submarine warfare while the diplomatic discussion was in progress and might suggest that if the British government notified all its merchantmen to sail unarmed then he exercised to prevent contraband from reaching its destination.

Another suggestion which was regarded as not unlikely to be made by Germany was that the belligerents give assurances that no contraband be carried on passenger ships. Although the United States has asserted the right of neutrals to travel anywhere on the high seas, even on ships carrying contraband, insisting that the right of visit and search be exercised in accordance with previous rules of international

law, the possibility of a discussion of the legal points involved so as to furnish a common ground for an understanding was admitted in official quarters as a likely development.

Ships Sail Unarmed

It was believed Germany might insist on retaining the submarine as a destroyer of commerce but would offer to make no attacks on non-combatants if merchantmen were unarmed and did not offer resistance when encountered. A cablegram from Ambassador Gerard in Berlin sent at seven o'clock last night and reaching the state department early today stated that the ambassador had not then received the American note. State department officials expected further advices soon.

Meanwhile officials sought to trace the note and hasten its delivery.

REVOLUTION UNDER WAY IN PORTUGAL

London, May 15.—A dispatch from Madrid to Reuter's Telegram Company says it is reported there that Dr. Alfonso Costa, former premier of Portugal, has been assassinated in Lisbon.

London, May 15.—A news agency dispatch received here from Madrid declares that there has been received in the Spanish capital information of a grave revolutionary movement in Portugal. One report is that a revolutionary committee is in control of the situation at Lisbon.

This information has reached the Spanish minister of the interior. Rebellion is said to have broken out at Coimbra, Oporto, Lisbon and Santarem. Fugitives

DEATH ON GALLOWS IS DEPLORED BY GOV. HUNT

Phoenix, Ariz., May 15.—Gov. Hunt, in a statement made public today, severely criticized the state board of pardons and paroles for sending five men to an "orgy of death" on the gallows May 28, by failing to recommend the cases to

Call 30 Witnesses In Barnes Libel Action

Syracuse, N. Y., May 15.—It has been known here today that counsel for Wm. Barnes in his libel suit against Theodore Roosevelt had summoned 30 additional witnesses to appear Monday when the trial will enter its fifth week. These witnesses are all former members of the legislature. They

SENATE PASSES LIQUOR BILL

Columbus, May 15.—The senate today concurred on the house address to the McDermott liquor license "decentralizing" bill. It is now ready for the governor's signature.

The vote on the motion to concur stood 20 to 11. All Republican members including the three Hamilton county senators voted for the motion.

The McDermott bill decentralizing the liquor license system was passed by the house after a session that extended into a new day. It was sent this morning to the senate for concurrence in an amendment providing that in case of a deadlock in the election of license commissioners in a district the governor shall appoint.

Train Is Raided

Vancouver, B. C., May 16.—An armed raiding party attacked the Pacific Cable Station at Bamfield Creek on the west coast of Vancouver islands early today. Shots were exchanged between the raiders and a sentry who routed the military guard. The raiders escaped in the darkness.

ARBITRATION OF LUSITANIA CASE FAVORED

London, May 15.—The Exchange Telegraph Co. has received the following message from Amsterdam:

"A telegram from Berlin states that the Vossische Zeitung announces that high government circles in Germany favor the submission of the question of the Lusitania's sinking and the difficulties with America arising therefrom to a court of arbitration."

FILE ANSWERS

Washington, May 15.—Secretary McAdoo and Comptroller Williams filed in the district supreme court today an answer to the injunction suit brought by the Riggs National Bank, charging them with conspiracy to wreck the institution. Their answer is a sweeping denial of all the bank's charges.

For the exercise of executive clemency. The new law gives the board sole discretion in the matter.

"The young state of Arizona is about to set an example of legalized murder which harks back to savagery," said the governor.

OHIO GAS AND ELECTRIC UTILITIES IN A COMBINE

Columbus, May 15.—Another

large combination of electrical and gas utilities has made its appearance and applied to the Utilities Commission for the necessary authority to secure control of the existing plants. The Ohio Gas and Electric Company with headquarters in Cincinnati today applied for authority to purchase the following plants for the prices indicated, although it is understood that the company will steadily take over other existing corporations:

The Middletown Gas and Electric Co., \$1,076,703.20; the Franklin Electric Light Co., \$87,016.30; the Leetonia Electric Co., \$46,816.90; the New Lisbon Gas Co., \$58,762.60.

It is noted that geographically the company has covered the two extremes of Southern Ohio, so that the acquisition of a line of

ITALY STILL WITHOUT CABINET

ASSEMBLY TO ADJOURN FINALLY ON MAY 27 FINAL RECESS WILL BE REACHED ON WEDNESDAY

Columbus, May 15.—Representative Mowsey of Williams, offered a joint resolution in the House calling for adjournment today until next Monday afternoon with a final recess for Wednesday, May 19, and calling for a session on May 27 with final sine die adjournment on that day. The resolution was adopted by the house.

TREMPER CANAL BILL HELD UP BY TURNER

Columbus, May 15.—An opinion given to the governor today by Attorney General Turner holds that the substitute Tremper bill passed recently by the senate is unsatisfactory because it permits the credit of the state to build a line for promotion of a private enterprise. The measure would facilitate the construction of the interstate canal from Lake Erie to the Ohio river. The first Tremper bill was vetoed by the governor because of a taxation question. The present bill has passed the senate and is on the house calendar.

May Land Marines To Quell Yaqui Indians

Los Angeles, Cal., May 15.—Fifty American men are surrounded near Esperanza, Sonora, today by overwhelming numbers of Yaqui Indians, according to advices received here by Charles F. O'Brien, owner of one of the large ranches in the Yaqui valley. Z. O. Stocker, one of the men reported injured in the fighting telegraphed his wife here that he was well. William Stocker is wounded.

Washington, May 15.—Naval officials are today awaiting a further report from Admiral Howard and if conditions warrant he will be ordered to send landing parties from the cruisers Raleigh and New Orleans, now off Guaymas, into the Yaqui valley to rescue the Americans.

YACHT IS WRECKED

Washington, May 15.—The American yacht Ramona has been wrecked off the Mexican west coast near Tepic, north of Guaymas, without loss of life. The cause of the wreck was not reported.

Miss Berlin Stephens, of 1102 Mill street, is seriously ill with rheumatism.

PROHMAN'S BODY ON WAY TO N. Y.

New York, May 15.—The bodies of nine of the Lusitania's dead, including the body of Charles Frohman, are being brought to New York aboard the American Line steamer New York, which will leave Liverpool at nine o'clock tonight.

LINER ORDUNA ARRIVES SAFE

New York, May 15.—The Guin and Line Orduna reached New York today, from Liverpool. The trip was made without incident. Passengers had heard at sea that the Lusitania had been sunk but had received no details.

Captain Taylor said he passed the Lusitania at 1 o'clock Friday morning, eleven hours before she was torpedoed, but did not communicate with her.

The Orduna brought 86 passengers.

CINCINNATI SUBWAY BILL PASSES HOUSE

Columbus, May 15.—The house today passed the Pink bill to permit the building of a subway in the old Miami and Erie canal bed at Cincinnati. The vote was 115 to nothing.

The Pink bill is a companion measure to the Bauer bill, which would authorize creation of a municipal commission in Cincinnati to supervise the construction of the proposed rapid transit system. House leaders announced

the Bauer bill would be considered and probably passed later today. These measures had been held up for many weeks on orders of administration leaders pending the outcome of the McDermott license bill.

America's Stand For Entire Civilized World

WESTMINSTER (ENGLAND), GAZETTE

London, May 15.—The Westminster Gazette, which usually reflects official opinion, estimates President Wilson's note to Germany as "the greatest event of this war from all humane and moral points of view."

"Nothing can be as before," it continues, "when the most powerful of neutrals has definitely taken its stand for the great principle affirmed in the American note."

Pointing out that it was open

NOTE PLEASING TO ENGLAND

London, May 15.—The note of President Wilson to the German government divides editorial attention in the London papers today with the Italian crisis. There is unanimous gratification in the press with the contents of American communication.

The only criticism consists of regret that it should have collected a paragraph testifying to the belief of Germany's observance of humane rules of warfare in the past.

MORE JOBS THAN MEN IN PITTSBURGH NOW

Pittsburgh, Pa., May 15.—A call for 2,500 men to work in coal mines in Fayette county, W. Va., has been received by the Federal government's employment bureau here, but so far it has been impossible to furnish more than 300 according to an announcement made yesterday by Wm. Poser, who is in charge of the Pittsburgh district. Poser said that the local office, which is a branch of the immigration service, is also unable to supply the demand for domestics and farm help. This is the first time, he said, since the department was opened on January 1st here, that the demand for help has been greater than the number of applicants.

DANISH SHIP IS TORPEDOED

London, May 15.—The Danish steamer Martha, was torpedoed and sunk off Aberdeen this morning by a German submarine. Her crew of 18 were saved.

POINT OF EXTREME CRISIS IS REACHED

London, May 15.—After having been deluded by a series of chimerical crises the British public is coming to the belief that Italy finally has reached the point of a momentous decision in the matter of her relations to the Triple Alliance.

Early today London was informed unofficially that Italy a week ago had denounced this alliance. When this step failed to produce further concessions from Austria, there occurred the resignation of the Italian cabinet. London is now awaiting breathlessly news from Rome of the final break.

Rome, May 15 (via Paris). Signor Marcora, president of the Chamber of Deputies, requested by King Victor Emmanuel to form a new cabinet in succession to the Salandra ministry, has refused the commission. It is probable that the king will insist on Premier Salandra remaining in power.

Riots And Demonstrations Continue In Capital

Riots and demonstrations continued in Rome during a great part of the night. They increased in intensity when it became known that notwithstanding reports to the contrary, the king had accepted Premier Salandra's resignation.

One of the most violent outbreaks occurred in connection with attempts of the crowds to approach the Austrian embassy. A member of the staff of the Nationalist newspaper Idea Nazionale succeeded in hurrying his escape.

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It is with the greatest pleasure that I'm preparing to go to the big banquet tonight. I anticipate a great time and the change from my regular tin can fare to Sciotto valley chicken and the like is bound to be a high water mark for me in the entire line. Here's the weather for tomorrow:

Ohio—Showers tonight and Sunday. Warner tonight in west portion.

Kentucky—Fair tonight; Sunday showers; cooler in extreme west portion.

West Virginia—Showers tonight and Sunday.

TWO KILLED

Zanesville, May 15.—Two men were killed and four injured when a B. & O. freight train was derailed last night near Belmont. All the victims were train riders, none of the crew being injured. Thirteen cars were piled up.

The Verdict

The Ohio river has commenced slowly falling again, the local gauge showing 2.4 ft. Saturday morning. Sunday's packet departures: Ste. Greendale down for Cincinnati at 5 n. m.; Ste. Tago up for Charleston at 2 p. m. The Steamer Greenwood is undergoing repairs on the Ft. Pleasant docks.

Branch Store
C. P. Miller, district manager of the Wear-Well Shoe Company, is locating a branch store on Eleventh street. He also expects to establish a branch store

MAN HIT BY TRAIN HURLED INTO RIVER

Struck by a train, knocked from a bridge into Paint Creek and if not killed by the train, drowned in the murky water was the fate of an unknown man at Kennick just this side of Chillicothe Saturday morning.

According to the engine crew of passenger train No. 33, the messenger of death, the man was sitting on a girder of the bridge over Paint Creek and was out of the way

of the train but just before the iron steed reached him he leaned back and was struck by the cylinder of the engine. The body was hurled into the water a number of feet below and never came to the surface.

Passengers on the train were horrified to see the body flying through the air. The man's hat and a package he had were recovered but they offered no clue to his identity. He would easily have escaped being struck had he stayed

in the position he was first seen by Engineer Doley.

N. & W. Roadmaster G. W. Richard of Chillicothe, was in the vicinity and a few minutes after the accident he organized a searching party who had been unsuccessful in their efforts to recover the body up until late this afternoon.

No. 33 is due in Chillicothe about nine o'clock. Conductor Joe Gaughan and Engineer John Doley were in charge of the train.

Mass Meeting Is Called To Discuss Plumber's Controversy

Another mass meeting of the craftsmen affiliated with the Building Trades Council has been called for Sunday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock, at the Central Labor Council hall, in the Carr building, on Chillicothe street.

The object of the meeting is to discuss the controversy between the master plumbers and the journeymen plumbers, which has reached an acute stage.

A mass meeting was held Friday evening at the Labor Council hall, but Harry Strong, the business agent of the Council, said that there was nothing to give out regarding the meeting. He also stated that there were no new developments today.

Eat your Sunday dinner at The Manhattan restaurant. All kinds of fresh sea food, lobsters, crabs, shrimps, frogs, fish, turkey and chicken. All the delicacies of the season. 14-21

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Marriage licenses issued Saturday morning were:

Moses Landy, 27, a farmer, and Lavina Schoonover, both of Tazewell, Spauld A. J. Finney.

Homer Milam, 28, collector for the Fashion store, city, and Miss Goldie Barrett, 18, city. Rev. Albert Marting.

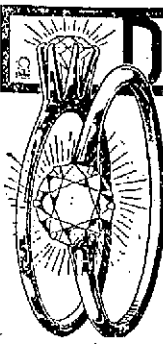
Two marriage licenses were issued Saturday afternoon by Probate Judge Denton, and both marriages were solemnized later by Squire A. J. Finney.

The couples were William Aeh, 25, a blacksmith of South Webster, and Maud Moore, 19 of Scioto Furnace; David W. Honaker, 26, a railroad fireman, and Lulu Mernach, 18, both of Firebrick, Ky.

Coming To Banquet

District Assessor F. B. M. Corson received word this morning that Charles A. Jones, secretary of the Tax Commission of Ohio, would arrive this evening to attend the Republican banquet.

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Freight Wreck On D. T. & I. Delays B. & O. S. W. Train

ATTENDS FUNERAL

Rev. Father J. E. McGuirk returned Saturday afternoon from Covington, Ky., where he attended the funeral of Rt. Rev. Camillus Maes, Bishop of the Covington diocese.

The requiem mass was celebrated by Archbishop Moeller, of Cincinnati, assisted by seven bishops and 15 clergymen. There were also 150 nuns present from the different parts of the diocese and the funeral was the largest ever held in that section.

MARRIED IN DECEMBER NEWS JUST LEAKED OUT

It has just been learned that Harry Phillips, an electrician of Painesville, O., and Miss Stella Spence, of this city, were married at Catlettsburg, Ky., December 26, 1914.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Slaughter, pastor of the Methodist church at Catlettsburg. They managed to keep their marriage a secret until Mr. Phillips' arrival here Saturday from Akron, where he is employed in a large rubber plant. They left on an afternoon train for that city to make their future home. The groom was for several years employed at the steel plant here. The bride is the youngest daughter of Mrs. Agnes Spence, of No. 502 Fifth street, and was employed at the Selby shoe factory.

Wife Gets Divorce

Jennie Clifford was awarded a decree of divorce in common pleas court this morning from her husband, Milton M. Clifford, on the ground of extreme cruelty. She was also awarded the custody of her minor children by Judge Thomas, but the husband is privileged to visit them at reasonable times. He will also be required to contribute to their support. Harry Ball was the wife's attorney.

WILL SELL TEAM

Judge Thomas in common pleas court Saturday morning, ordered the horse and wagon of George Tismie, a foreigner, of New Boston, sold on execution and the proceeds applied on a debt owed to Geo. Anderson. The writ of execution formerly allowed was returned unsatisfied, and Johnson and Johnson, Anderson's attorneys entered suit in aid of execution with the result noted above.

Will Accept Ordinance

Attorney John P. Phillips, of Chillicothe, counsel for the B. & O. S. W. railroad company, will arrive in Portsmouth the first of next week to formally accept the ordinance changing the east end crossing over the N. & W. and B. & O. tracks from a subway to an overhead crossing on behalf of his company, according to word received today by City Solicitor McCall. The N. & W. company has already accepted the provisions of the ordinance.

DEEDS

One deed was filed for record Friday, as follows: W. M. Brown and wife, to Emma A. Kent, 40 acres in Harrison township, \$400.

TO WIVES AND MOTHERS

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Mrs. Anna Linder, R. F. 1, 5, Dassel, Meeker Co., Minn., writes: "For two years I suffered with that terrible disease, rheumatic catarrh. Fortunately, I saw your advertisement in my paper. I got your advice, and I took Peruna. Now I am well and the mother of two children. I owe it all to Peruna."

"I cannot express my thanks for the good your medicine has done me and my family. This spring I took cold and it settled in my kidneys. I took Peruna and in a few days I was all right."

Fine men and women all over this country are glad to testify to the merits of Peruna as a household remedy. Peruna is the leader as a catarrh medicine. For coughs and colds Peruna has no superior. It is also extensively used as a grip remedy.

Automobile Almost Hit By B. & O. Train

Charles W. Wilson and W. P. Newkirk, round house foreman and yardmaster, respectively, of the B. & O. S. W. were eye witnesses of a thrilling near tragedy at the Lincoln street crossing Saturday.

The two officials were on the entrance of a cut of cars heading down Tenth street. The crossing watchman was flagging every-

HIKERS CAUGHT IN A RAINSTORM

Imbued with the walking fever, and equipped with paraphernalia to cook a roadside breakfast, the Misses Laura Givings, Anna Henning, Elizabeth Farmer, Olga Thurman, Pauline Siegersson, Edna and Grace Burke, Elizabeth Kennedy, Ruth Stout and Cora Reynolds of the Y. W. C. A. walked around the "Y" road on the West Side this morning. They were caught in the early morning rainstorm.

Fund For Big Convention Is Growing By Leaps & Bounds

By the proverbial leaps and bounds is the fund growing for the firemen's state convention to be held here in September. The following additional contributions were received Saturday by Fire Chief McQuint:

Wurster Bros., \$5.
Manhattan Restaurant, \$5.
Samuel Herzog, \$5.
L. W. Bragdon, \$5.
J. H. Stewart, \$3.
J. T. Newman & Son, \$5.
Smith & Dunn, \$5.
C. C. Caverston, \$2.50.
Simpson Bros., \$5.
Valley Harold, \$5.
David E. Thomas, \$1.

J. I. Hudson, \$2.50.
A. Brunner & Sons, \$5.
Samuel Levi & Co., \$2.50.
R. S. Pritchard, \$5.
Prof. Jos. Mastropolo, \$1.
F. B. Corson, \$1.
Joseph Brown, \$1.
Standard Supply Co., \$10.
C. C. Dado & Co., \$5.
Pure Milk Co., \$10.
The Portsmouth Supply & Manufacturing Co., \$5.
Criterion Clothing Co., \$10.
P. W. Jansen, \$1.
Geo. W. Frouz, \$2.

Ran Needle In Finger

Miss Mary Reitz, employed in the First National bank, ran a needle in the index finger of her left hand Saturday and the piece that was broken off had to be cut out by Dr. R. O. Le Baron.

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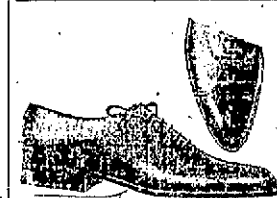
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THE MAN WITH THE CROUCH

HIS IDEA OF BIG AND SMALL MONEY

OR two hours the piano tuner had been at work on the grand piano in the apartment directly underneath the rooms of the Man-with-the-Crouch.

It was Madame Mezavore's piano, and once a month the operation had to be performed that the great finger might run through her soul-fragrant pitch.

The Man-with-the-Crouch spent ten minutes debating in his mind which was worse, the sound of Madame Mezavore at her singing exercises or the sound of the tuner at his promptly task.

By the time he had come to the conclusion that they were equally intolerable the job was accomplished. The din of piano tuning was over for a month.



Then through the open window came the clear, cold voice of the great singer. "I never have money here," she said.

Man-with-the-Crouch. "She must have more money than she can count."

"If reports are true, she gets about one dollar for every breath she draws in the opera. As if that were not enough she has signed up with the movies at two dollars a minute."

"And while she is drawing this enormous salary one can't help remembering that some of the great composers whose work she is interpreting lived penniless in garrets."

"It's a time for big moneyed affairs. I notice that a set of Thackeray's works sold for nearly two thousand dollars only yesterday. I hope Thackeray always had enough money to buy his dinner."

"At the same time I notice that the original manuscript of one of Edgar Allan Poe's poems sold for \$175."

"It was sixty-four lines in length, and the probability is that the manuscript which brought the dealer \$175 brought the poet \$1.75."

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FREE COURSE IN PHOTO-PLAY WRITING

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In connection with the Columbia, Lyric, Exhibit, Arcana and Temple Theatres

There is a great demand for scenarios. The growth of the moving picture industry has caused the demand to be greater than the supply, and nearly all the manufacturers pay good prices for acceptable stories. Scenario writing has, therefore, become quite a craze. This is the third of a series of ten free lessons to be published in the Times, one each Saturday. The lessons are written by Lillian M. Rubenstein, formerly scenario editor of the Lubin Motion Picture Company. Read this third lesson, the short story, and read the other lessons to follow, and when this course is completed you should be a thoroughly competent photo-play writer and able to sell your work to the big producers.

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In the preparation of a photo-play, a cast of characters should always be included either immediately after the title or after the synopsis, as in reading a play the director is enabled to immediately grasp the number of characters necessary to the production of the play and anything which tends to save time for the director strengthens the selling chances of the script. Again a great many of the producing companies flash this cast of characters upon the screen before showing the picture, which gives the audience a better conception of what will be shown. For example:

Cast of Characters

John Allison, a ranchman
Mary, his wife
Lettie, his daughter
Tom Warren, in love with Letty
Bud Hawkins, a gambler, also in love with Letty
Cowboys, Indians, etc.

In writing a scenario or photo-play, a great many writers finish the synopsis before writing the scenario, in my estimation it saves a great deal of trouble in the way of rewriting to prepare your scenario first, then your synopsis, and lastly your cast of characters. In submitting your play be sure to place the synopsis first, as that is what the editor wants to give him his first idea of what your scenario is all about. By writing your synopsis first you naturally write your first impression of your play, but after you have started writing your scenario you will be surprised how many new bits of action will suggest themselves to you. Ideas which will materially strengthen your plot. You write in this new action and if the synopsis has already been written, it can happen. Why you simply are compelled to destroy the first synopsis and write a second one, which is proof conclusive that to write your synopsis last is the better way.

As the "TITLE" may be suggested by some action in the scenario, keep that for the very last. In writing out of my photoplays which was released by the Lubin company, I had given no thought to a title for some while writing the action of the play a murderer was photographed in the act of striking his unsuspecting victim. This was caused by the murderer stepping upon the bulb of a camera which caught the picture of the murder. There was my title staring me in the face, "Caught by a Camera," and that title fitted the story perfectly, at the same time telling nothing of the climax of the picture. Should a writer decide to write a photoplay for some special company, featuring a certain actress or actor, naturally it behooves that writer to choose a title which will call particular attention to that special star for whom it is written, but as a rule the most sensible and also most remunerative plan is to write a good, strong, original story which can be used by any company and then after getting into proper shape, start it upon the rounds of the film companies, trusting to its merit to find a resting place in some studio.

Always remember that the "TITLE" is the advertisement which draws the patron to a moving picture theatre, as an attractive "TITLE" means a larger crowd.

In writing a photoplay you must realize that the different details must occur naturally and in an interesting manner, not mechanically, as though manufactured for the purpose. The events must lead up to the grand "denouement" or "climax" naturally and smoothly, with a plausible reason for each action. How often while seated in a moving picture theatre have you heard the following remarks: "Why, what in the world did he do that

for?" "There's no sense or reason in that action," etc., and this is too often true of the photoplay of the present. One wonders how stories so crammed with inconsistencies are ever made. One explanation is that a great many producers imagine they can also write a photoplay and most of the poorly written photoplays produced are invariably written by the producer himself, as plays of that description are never purchased from outside. Lately there has been a rumor that the different companies intend to refuse to make any plays written by any one employed in the company, and if this rule goes into effect it will be to the advantage of the outside writer.

The plot of a photo-play, like a building, must have a good foundation to rise upon and unless the foundation is interesting from the start the attention of the audience

will lag, eventually killing the entire play. Another thing to avoid is starting a story in so interesting a manner as to excite the expectations of the audience to so great a height that as the play progresses and the plot fails to live up to the earlier promise made, the audience begins to realize that the last part came first and leave the theatre, feeling as though they had been "stung," to utilize a slang expression; therefore while it should always be your aim to start your story so as to prove interesting all the way through, never place your heart before your horse, but reserve your best and strongest action for the end. The style of story which always pleases is the one in which something important depends upon the arrival of one of the characters at a certain place in the "nick of time"; perhaps it is the delivery of certain papers, or the life of one of

the characters at stake, the honor of the hero or heroine, whatever it is, the thrill which takes possession of the audience as they sit in tense attention wondering "if he will get there in time" always gets the play "over" and makes it a success, providing the thrill furnished was sufficiently original. If you are ambitious to become a successful photoplaywright learn to observe life in every aspect, try to invent complications and plots from any trivial incident which falls under your observation and in striving for the big things don't forget or overlook the small events happening right at your elbow, as it is the little details of heart interest from which the big stories are produced. There isn't a day that one can't find the germ of a plot in some newspaper article, for where can one find a greater array of tragedies, dramas or comedies than from the headlines of a daily newspaper?

225 GRADUATES OF RURAL SCHOOLS GET CERTIFICATES

Today was "fun school day" in Portsmouth, the pupils from the elementary rural schools occupying the center of attraction at the high school building both morning and afternoon.

At 10:30 o'clock this morning two hundred and twenty-five diplomas of graduation were awarded to as many pupils of the eighth grades of the county who are now eligible to enter any high school in the county. Of the number, one hundred and seventy-three were present and received their diplomas in person. School officials regard this as an excellent showing, considering the distance that some of the graduates were required to come to receive their diplomas.

About five hundred people, including the parents, relatives and friends of the graduates, were present to witness the ceremonies, the high school auditorium being well filled when the program was started.

E. O. McGowan, county school superintendent, presided and introduced Frank Appel, superintendent of the public schools of this county, who delivered the commencement address. Supt. Appel congratulated the graduates upon the real and personal achievement which had won for them promotion to the higher school of learning, and admonished them to ever cultivate a spirit of optimism and confidence in their own ability.

In the absence of the president of the county board of education, Dr. A. G. Stevens, of South Webster, A. B. McBride, the vice-president of Tardien, and W. A. Pyles, of Friendship, another member presented the diplomas to the graduates, assisted by the district superintendents. E. O. McGowan also made a brief talk to the graduates, which was full of encouragement for them to continue their educational efforts.

So pleased were the school authorities with the exercises that they are already formulating plans to make the county grade school commencement next year the greatest educational event in the history of the county.

Danger in Overworking Eyes.

Oculists state that comparatively few persons have absolutely normal eyesight, those who have do not take care always to read or work under proper conditions of light, and the result is that most adults and many children so overwork the muscles about the eyes as to form wrinkles and loose, falling flesh.

MILL CREEK

Mrs. Lige Coleman was calling on Mill Creek friends one day last week.

Misses Mabel Copak and Della Walters called on Estel Shriver Thursday.

Miss Ethel Abbott is very poorly at this writing.

A large crowd attended Mother's Day exercises at Liberty, Sunday.

Mr. G. B. Lewis, our intelligent farmer, purchased a new silo recently.

Ed Watters is getting along nicely by laying a foundation for his new dwelling house.

Douglas Copak was calling on his sister, Mrs. Minerva Haebecker, Sunday.

Mrs. Archie Brooks and Laura Vagler called on Lige Abbott and wife, Sunday.

Miss Opal Copak is spending a few days with friends at home.

Roby Knuff was a caller at this place Sunday.

Mrs. Arthur Hayslip was a caller here Saturday.

Mr. Harvey Lavinelle called on his friend, Miss Della Watters, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Boles of Blue Creek passed this place Friday, enroute to West Union.

J. L. Watters and M. E. Abbott were at Manchester Friday.

OTWAY

Honore Adams and Miss Lizzie Graghill were at Lucasville on business Saturday.

Joseph McIntyre was at Otway Saturday.

Walter Smalley, Frank Arnold and Perry Smalley took in Gibson's vaudeville show at Otway Saturday night.

Bobby Steele was at Young's Saturday.

Rev. Epton, of Otway, delivered a fine sermon at Mt. Hope Wednesday night to a large crowd.

H. S. Hooper is working for J. W. McIntyre.

S. A. Steele was at Portsmouth on business Saturday.

Some sneek thief entered H. S. Adams' house Sunday, while the family were away and got away with seventeen dollars of his money.

Charley Hays is employed by C. W. Arnold this week to dig a cistern.

J. W. McIntyre went to the Poorhouse Sunday to be on the petit jury Monday morning.

Harry Fay, of Winchester, is calling on friends at Mt. Hope this week.

Jim Smalley was calling on John Hill Sunday.

Forrest Hill, Harry Fay and Bob Steele were at Young Sunday.

Mr. Samuel McChesney, of Mt. Joy, was at Mt. Hope, Sunday.

Thomas Arnold, of Pumpkin Center, was seen at Mt. Hope, Tuesday.

OTWAY

John Kirtz, of Portsmouth, was visiting his parents last Saturday.

Rev. J. J. Upson has bought a new Ford runabout.

Dr. J. P. Gordon was a business visitor to Cincinnati last week.

Myrtle Braden and Carl Braden were business visitors to Portsmouth, Wednesday.

Wm. Teers was a business visitor to Portsmouth, Monday.

Grover Sanderson has taken a position as clerk in the grocery store of A. Evans.

PUMPKIN CENTER

Miss Dealin Candill, of Cranston, Ky., was calling on friends near Harrisonville.

Mr. Jake Colburn and wife made a business trip to Stockdale one day last week.

There was preaching Sunday night, May 9th, at Pleasant Grove, by Rev. Elson. A large crowd was in attendance.

Miss Kate Musgrave and Miss Pauline Alexander were calling on Mrs. Pamela Colburn, Sunday.

Mr. Lester Beale purchased a fine motorcycle of Walter Lansing.

Miss Bertha Debs and sister, Nellie, were calling on Mr. and Mrs. Jess Winters, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Calude Brann and daughter were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Melve Sloan Saturday and Sunday.

Money to loan on real estate. The Royal Savings and Loan Co. only 11-4f

What Heaven Means to Me.

When we have traversed the distances, and have seen things wonderful at every turn, and have passed through the bitter flood, we shall find—at least this is my hope—no guard-city of God from which we shall go no more out, but another road passing into wider fields and dimmer uplands, and to things more and more wonderful and strange and unknown—Arthur C. Benson in *Cosmic Mysticism*.

The Movies**Broadway Star Feature****Columbia Tonight**

A tremendously exciting picture, suggestive of War and its far-reaching consequences, is "The Pawns of Mars" at the Columbia this evening. A celebrated chemist is at work on a new high-power explosive, word of which reaches the Emperor of a foreign country, and a spy is sent to investigate. During his experiments, the chemist's daughter becomes the victim of an unfortunate accident in the laboratory by which she is blinded, and on this account the spy, during her father's absence, is enabled to steal the bombs containing all the new explosive the chemist has manufactured. War is at once declared, and but for the introduction of a still newer and deadlier weapon of warfare the world might have been conquered through the fearfully destructive power of the little bombs. The enemy's weapons are turned against themselves, however, and the war is ended. As the heart-broken chemist watches his blind daughter making her way to her sweetheart's side, he realizes that they are all "Pawns of Mars."

For Monday, Manager Tynes announces two of the most popular as all motion picture stars in Beverly Bayne and Lillian Walker.

"The Conspiracy at the Chateau," is an intensely interesting two-part Essanay feature picture with Beverly Bayne and a strong supporting company including Richard C. Tenver.

In addition to this picture, a very funny comedy entitled "The Guttersnipe" will be offered with your old favorite Lillian Walker and her merry bunch of fun-makers.

When you come down town this evening, don't forget this great Broadway Star Feature, direct from the Vitaphone Theatre in New York.

Big Keystone Comedy**At The Exhibit**

A big Keystone comedy feature is the offering at the Exhibit tonight. It is entitled "Colored Villiany." All moving picture lovers know what a Keystone comedy means. It is the latest attainment in moving picture comedy and is a scream from start to finish. There are two reels of solid fun and amusement. The Keystone comedy people have one of the greatest directors in the world who stages those celebrated plays. Good music is always to be found at the Exhibit as there is a special orchestra playing all the time.

101 Bison at Arcana Theatre

Saturday is always a big day at the Arcana Theatre, simply because Manager Potts books some great thrillers for the last day of the week. Today will be no exception, for patrons will be

served a program second to none in the city. To begin with Manager Potts will show a two-reel Bison, 101, entitled "Mother's Instinct." This will be a heart story, one of great human interest and one where right triumphs over wrong. It is a western production and will hold the undivided attention of the audience.

As a second feature Manager Potts will show a two-reel comedy, one of those side-splitting, rib-tickling affairs that will put you in good humor for a week. The Arcana theater is gaining new friends each day. The house has been completely remodeled and is one of the coziest theaters in Southern Ohio. Come tonight, only 5 cents and always 5 cents.

At The Strand

Tonight second installment of "The Black Box" called "The Hidden Hands," constituting episode two of the big serial in which Herbert Rawlinson and Anna Little enact the leading roles, is filed to the burning point with action of the tensest, most heart-grIPPING nature.

"Saved by Telephone," an all-time two-reeler in the most sensational film ever produced by this company. Many of the scenes shown will bring you to the edge of your seat.

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At The Scenic

Tonight's big feature at the Scenic is the Edison two-reel feature entitled "A Tragedy of the Rails," with Gertrude McCoy and Augustus Phillips in the leading roles. It is a hair-raising story of the railroad. The third reel is a Biograph drama called "It Doesn't Pay," in which Mary McLeod is featured. The fourth reel is an Essanay comedy entitled "The New Teacher," with Wallace Beera as Sweden. Monday's feature will be the Lubin Three reel feature, "The Attorney for the Defense."

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NEW BOSTON

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Arilla Emory, Lillian Chinn and Robert Milliken of the village schools, had parts in the program at the city high school Saturday.

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ARCANA THEATRE---TONIGHT 5c

101 BISON, "MOTHER'S INSTINCT," 2 reel drama. Also 2 reel comedy.

TEMPLE THEATRE MONDAY

"Molly of the Mountains" (2 reel) melodrama, Broncho "The Once Over," comedy drama (1 reel) Beauty. "The Primitive Spirit" (1 reel) Reliance.

Sprightly Single Men And Happily Married Men To Play Ball

There is going to be a "real" ball game out at Millbrook park late Monday afternoon when the Single Men and the Married Men's team of the Whitaker-Glessner company go to the mat, or rather the diamond. The game will be called at 5 o'clock. Here is how the teams will line up:

Married Men
Watkins, pitcher; Doll, catcher; Jones, first base; Frohm, second

Single Men
Smith, pitcher; Sampson, catcher; Bolles, first base; McColl, second base; Howard, third base; Lewis, shortstop; Foster, left field; Jaynes, center field; and Holbrook, right field.

base; Clure, third base; Grimes, shortstop; Wells, left field; Rideout, center field; Moore, right field; D. D. McCray, general utility man and bench warmer.

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MASONIC NOTICE

Regular meeting Solomon Council No. 79 Monday evening, May 17, at 7 o'clock.

WANTED

WANTED:—High class man to sell trees, shrubs, roses, vines, berry bushes, bulbs, etc. Good wages. Permanent, exclusive territory. Brown Brothers Nurseries, Rochester, New York 15-1.

WANTED:—High grade salesman to sell oils, greases, etc., to auto owners and other consumers in Ohio. Liberal commission paid and settlement made in full each week. Stetson Oil Co., Cleveland, O. 15-1.

WANTED:—Side line salesman. By largest fireworks distributors in America. To sell fireworks displays, as side line, for Fourth of July exhibitions, city celebrations, parties, fairs, etc. Direct factory shipments. Easy sales and liberal commissions. Quick action necessary for exclusive territory. Write today. Manufacturers Fireworks Company, Flint, Michigan. 15-1.

WANTED:—Nursery agents. Special inducements for quick action. Pay weekly. Perry Nurseries, Rochester, N. Y. 15-1.

WANTED:—Ladies to stamp coupons, etc., at home evenings. No experience required. \$3.00 per 1,000. Steady. No postals. Enclose stamp. Address Adeline Chemical Co., Toronto, Can. 15-1.

WANTED:—To hire several men and women. Distribute free pkgs Soap Powder with soap, etc. Experience unnecessary. State wages expected. Write Ward Co., 217 Institute, Chicago. 15-1.

NOTICE:—For prompt city delivery call Gen. Abrams Phone 1025 A. 14-1.

NOTICE:—Painting, paper hanging, wall paper cleaning. Al Reimer, 1815 6th. Phone 1267 Y. 16-1.

WANTED:—Girl for general housework at 1031 Gallia. 15-3.

WANTED:—Carpets to clean. We make rugs out of old carpets. Portsmouth Carpet Cleaning Co., Revue & Klingman, House phone 490. 5-1.

NOTICE:—Judson Whitfield cleans all paper clean. Phone 964 Y. 24-1.

WANTED:—Boards 722 Washington, all conveniences. 13-6.

WANTED:—Girl for general housework, family of two. At 1744 5th. Phone 345 A. 13-3.

NOTICE:—For all country trips in automobile. Phone 1160 B. 13-3.

WANTED:—Boards, 810 Harvard St. 8-7.

WANTED:—Boy of 16 or over. Winstler Bros. 14-2.

WANTED:—Experienced girl for general housework, 1523 14th St. 14-2.

WANTED:—Carpet and rug weaving to do, 1534 12th. Mrs. Hapner. 12-6.

GOVERNMENT POSITIONS are easy to get. My free booklet Y 1335 tells how. Write today. —NOW, Earl Hopkins, Washington, D. C.

WANTED:—Hides, roots, feathers of all kinds. M. Jacobs' Sons, now back at our old stand, Third and Chillicothe. 9-cent tf.

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WANTED:—Agents. A big summer seller, something new, concentrated soft drinks. Just add water, delicious soft drinks in a jiffy, any time, anywhere. Popular for the home, parties, picnics, etc. Guaranteed under U. S. Pure Food Laws. Lightweight packages by parcel post, no delay. Enormous demand. Agents coming money, \$6 to \$12 a day. 250 other fast sellers, all big repeaters, 100 per cent profit. Agent's going fast. Be quick. Just a postal today. American Products Co., 2322 Third St., Cincinnati, O. 15-1.

WANTED:—Girl for general housework, 2018 17th. Phone 1332 Y. 15-2.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE:—Hill top cottage, splendid location. Four large rooms, bath, extra large pantry, owner leaving town next week. Wants a quick sale. Price \$2500. Phone 506.

FOR SALE:—Small supply of stereotypic maps. Better than paper for laying out carpets. The Times Office. 4-1.

FOR SALE:—Or trade. Six room house with bath, Offshore near 37th St. Will trade for smaller property or vacant lot as part payment and carry balance on monthly payments. Phone 509.

FOR SALE:—One 8 ft. extension table, a porch settee and chairs at 1628 Grant St. Phone 1204 X. 15-3.

FOR SALE:—Horse and buggy, 1729 Offshore St. 10-1.

FOR SALE:—A lot of pigs. Inquire Frank J. Sommer, Phone 2202 Y. 15-2.

FOR SALE:—Summer camp, one and one-half story house, shade trees, right on Ohio river, large lot, beautiful place. Call Otto Zoellner & Bro., 415 Chillicothe. 15-1.

FOR SALE:—Paper boiler in good condition. Phone 822. 15-3.

FOR SALE:—One Estate gas range with water coil, can be seen at 1810 Grant St. 15-2.

FOR SALE:—Or trade. 17 acre farm, 6 room house, Chillicothe pike, two miles from city limits, beautiful home, ideal for truck, fruit or poultry farm. Will exchange for city property. What have you for trade? Phone 506. 15-2.

FOR SALE:—Three touring cars second hand. One Ford roadster W. J. Friel, 734 5th. 15-3.

FOR SALE:—Lot Gallia at Terminal, \$1000. Lot Franklin, \$1900. Lot 17th, \$1450. Lot Summit, \$1000. Lot, Northern addition, Sciotoville, 5 minutes walk from car line, \$400. 7 room house, bath, Baird avenue, \$3750. 5 room cottage Baird avenue, \$2900. Two cottages, Chillicothe pike, vacant. 4 room cottage, Summit, \$1950. 6 room two story, bath, electricity, storm shelter, basement under entire house, hardwood floor, large reception hall, open stairway, high St. Small payment down, balance monthly payments, \$3400. P. W. Kilcoyne, 1218 Grandview Ave. Phone 1408 A. 15-1.

FOR SALE:—600 acres of good land only four miles from Fullerton, Ky. Two small houses, nice young orchard and small fruits; will price this land at great bargain. Address or see R. H. Bancroft, Fullerton, Ky. 13-8.

FOR SALE:—Ten choice lots, Wheelersburg, 50x150 ft. Fine location, above 1913 flood, \$6.00 per front foot. Phone 506. 15-2.

FOR SALE:—Cheap 17 foot by 17 foot motor boat, used only 3 months. Call phone 1459 B. 11-1.

FOR SALE:—Or trade. R. C. H. roadster, good tires, in good running order, cheap. Gallia St. fire department. 13-1.

FOR SALE:—Leghorn chickens, 60 cents. Call 1671 X. 13-3.

FOR SALE:—Good lot on Hilltop Mrs. Carter Brown, 924 Gallia. 13-3.

FOR SALE:—Two houses empty and ready to move in, sold on easy payments. Phone 1499. H. A. BIERLEY REALTY CO. 13-3.

FOR SALE:—Short Horns, 1 bull, 15 months old. Two bull calves. All runs and entitled to registry. Charles Appel, Bannock Farm, Luansville. 12-4.

FOR SALE:—Or trade, farm, lots and plots of ground. Phone 30 A Sciotoville exchange. John Hartman, Wheelersburg, O. 12-6.

FOR SALE:—Gentle driving horse. Interstate Transfer Co. 12-4.

FOR SALE:—Horse and phaeton, 814 Prospect. Phone 427 B. 14-3.

FOR SALE:—Maywood baby carriage, 2 gas heaters, 3 burner hot plate, two 50-inch window shades, gas burners for coal cook stove. All good condition. 1321 17th. Phone 1355 X. 15-2.

FOR SALE:—7 h. p. Indian motorcycle. 629 Front. 15-6.

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FOR SALE:—A lot of pigs. Inquire Frank J. Sommer, Phone 2202 Y. 15-2.

FOR SALE:—Summer camp, one and one-half story house, shade trees, right on Ohio river, large lot, beautiful place. Call Otto Zoellner & Bro., 415 Chillicothe. 15-1.

FOR SALE:—Paper boiler in good condition. Phone 822. 15-3.

FOR SALE:—One Estate gas range with water coil, can be seen at 1810 Grant St. 15-2.

FOR SALE:—Or trade. 17 acre farm, 6 room house, Chillicothe pike, two miles from city limits, beautiful home, ideal for truck, fruit or poultry farm. Will exchange for city property. What have you for trade? Phone 506. 15-2.

FOR SALE:—Three touring cars second hand. One Ford roadster W. J. Friel, 734 5th. 15-3.

FOR SALE:—Lot Gallia at Terminal, \$1000. Lot Franklin, \$1900. Lot 17th, \$1450. Lot Summit, \$1000. Lot, Northern addition, Sciotoville, 5 minutes walk from car line, \$400. 7 room house, bath, Baird avenue, \$3750. 5 room cottage Baird avenue, \$2900. Two cottages, Chillicothe pike, vacant. 4 room cottage, Summit, \$1950. 6 room two story, bath, electricity, storm shelter, basement under entire house, hardwood floor, large reception hall, open stairway, high St. Small payment down, balance monthly payments, \$3400. P. W. Kilcoyne, 1218 Grandview Ave. Phone 1408 A. 15-1.

FOR SALE:—600 acres of good land only four miles from Fullerton, Ky. Two small houses, nice young orchard and small fruits; will price this land at great bargain. Address or see R. H. Bancroft, Fullerton, Ky. 13-8.

FOR SALE:—Ten choice lots, Wheelersburg, 50x150 ft. Fine location, above 1913 flood, \$6.00 per front foot. Phone 506. 15-2.

FOR SALE:—Cheap 17 foot by 17 foot motor boat, used only 3 months. Call phone 1459 B. 11-1.

FOR SALE:—Or trade. R. C. H. roadster, good tires, in good running order, cheap. Gallia St. fire department. 13-1.

FOR SALE:—Leghorn chickens, 60 cents. Call 1671 X. 13-3.

FOR SALE:—Good lot on Hilltop Mrs. Carter Brown, 924 Gallia. 13-3.

FOR SALE:—Two houses empty and ready to move in, sold on easy payments. Phone 1499. H. A. BIERLEY REALTY CO. 13-3.

FOR SALE:—Short Horns, 1 bull, 15 months old. Two bull calves. All runs and entitled to registry. Charles Appel, Bannock Farm, Luansville. 12-4.

FOR SALE:—Or trade, farm, lots and plots of ground. Phone 30 A Sciotoville exchange. John Hartman, Wheelersburg, O. 12-6.

FOR SALE:—Gentle driving horse. Interstate Transfer Co. 12-4.

FOR SALE:—Horse and phaeton, 814 Prospect. Phone 427 B. 14-3.

FOR SALE:—Maywood baby carriage, 2 gas heaters, 3 burner hot plate, two 50-inch window shades, gas burners for coal cook stove. All good condition. 1321 17th. Phone 1355 X. 15-2.

FOR SALE:—7 h. p. Indian motorcycle. 629 Front. 15-6.

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Marvin Clark, Secy. First National Bank Building

FOR RENT:—7 room house with bath, East Third. Phone 762 X. 14-3.

FOR RENT:—6 room house with bath on 8th between Chillicothe and Gay. W. L. Baker, Ohio Valley Bank Bldg. Phone 902 X. 14-3.

FOR RENT:—Four room cottage on Mabert Road. Gas and water. \$9.00 per month. E. G. Millar, Masonic Temple. 14-1.

FOR RENT:—6 room house with bath, 1126 Front. 4 room house, 1128 Front. 5 room house, 13 Sinton. 4 room flat, 1321 Summit. 5 room house, 1814 Dexter. 4 room house, 1817 Dexter. 4 room house, 409 Broadway. 4 room house, 417 Boundary. 4 room house, 419 Boundary. 6 room house, 18th and Union. 5 room house, 921 12th. Several small houses, cheap. C. S. Cadot Agency, Room 223 Masonic Temple. 15-2.

FOR RENT:—2 nice furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Vinton avenue. Phone 596 Y. 11-10.

FOR RENT:—Modern flat, 720 6th St., all conveniences, half square west of Chillicothe St. St. Straus, 220 Chillicothe St. 11-1.

FOR RENT:—House at 823 11th, also 417 Court. Inquire 702 9th. 11-1.

FOR RENT:—Furnished room with bath, 822 Chillicothe St. 19-1.

FOR RENT:—2 front rooms furnished for light housekeeping, \$4 per week, fine location, 423 Offshore. 6-1.

FOR RENT:—Two apartments, each five rooms and bath, nicely finished and papered, front and back porches, 625 5th St. 6-1.

FOR RENT:—Cozy front flat, 4 rooms, bath, Wilhelmette Realty Co. Phone 1200 X. 3-12.

FOR RENT:—Store room, 822 Gallia. Inquire at Lehman's Store. 23-1.

FOR RENT:—Furnished room with bath, \$2.50 per week, 839 10th. Phone 1194 A. 13-1.

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping, 1136 Gay St. Phone 1178 A. 13-1.

FOR RENT:—Nicely furnished room, bath, modern conveniences. 614 Washington, 10-1.

FOR RENT:—3 room flat on Gallia, 8 room cottage on 13th. Phone 576, James A. Maxwell. 6-1.

FOR RENT:—Furnished room, 914 8th. 11-1.

FOR RENT:—3 rooms with bath, 421 Sinton St. Call 1499. H. A. BIERLEY REALTY CO. 13-3.

FOR RENT:—Nice front room furnished; bath and phone 1120 4th. Phone 510. 13-1.

FOR RENT:—Five room modern flat at 605 Second St. Inquire within. 13-3.

FOR RENT:—One nicely furnished front room with bath, 913 7th St. Phone 616 Y or 967 A. 10-6.

FOR RENT:—One or two furnished rooms. All conveniences. 1117 Gallia. 12-1.

FOR RENT:—Furnished room for light housekeeping, gas included, 930 Gallia. 11-1.

FOR RENT:—Furnished room with bath, 1620 Gallia St. 13-6.

FOR RENT:—4 room apartment furnished complete, first floor bath and all conveniences. Call at 1333 7th. 14-2.

FOR RENT:—2 furnished rooms for light housekeeping, with use of bath. Phone 1236 A or 1217 Franklin. 14-1.

FOR RENT:—6 room house 111 Glover street. Phone 344. Inquire 1318 2nd. Tu to th as tf. 14-1.

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping, 1113 Gallia. 14-1.

FOR RENT:—Cottage, 1013 8th St. Phone 1307 A. 14-3.

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The Markets

NEW YORK STOCKS
New York, May 15.—The clouds which gathered over the stock market yesterday as a result of the apparent crisis in this country's international relations were partly dispelled today. Prices of stocks rose two to four points and the short interest was again hurriedly driven to cover. War shares, yesterday's weakest features, made up some of the declines and standard shares as well as speculative issues responded to the more cheerful mood. Trading was very moderate throughout, however, pursuant to the policy of caution counseled in responsible quarters. Recessions occurred in the final dealings, Bethlehem Steel and Westinghouse Electric, reacting sharply. Foreign advices were of the usual conflicting character, but domestic news was altogether reassuring. Bonds were strong. The market closed firm.

CLOSING PRICES

NEW YORK STOCKS

Amalgamated Copper 62½.
American Beet Sugar 42.
American Can 32.
American Car & Foundry 49.
American Cotton Oil 45.
Amor, Smelling & Refining 61½.
American Sugar Refining 104.
Anacostia Tel. & Tel. 119.
Anacostia Mining Co 81½.
Alchison 99.
Baltimore & Ohio 71½.
Bethlehem Steel 130.
Brooklyn Rapid Transit 86.
California Petroleum 14.
Canadian Pacific 158.
Central Leather 34½.
Chesapeake & Ohio 42½.
Chino Copper 41½.
Chicago & North Western 124.
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul 89½.
Denver & Rio Grande 7.
Erie 24½.
General Electric 147½.
Goodrich Co 40½.
Great Northern pfd 116½.
Illinois Central 105.
Interborough-N.Y. 197½.
Inter. Harvester 91.
Lehigh Valley 140.
Louisville & Nashville 113½.
Maxwell Motor Co 1st pfd 79½.
Mexican Petroleum 67½.
Missouri, Kansas & Texas 12½.
Missouri Pacific 13.
National Lead 50.
New York Central 82½.
N. Y. N. H. & Hartford 62½.
Norfolk & Western 100½.
Northern Pacific 104.
Pennsylvania 103½.
Ray Consolidated 22½.
Reading 142½.
Republic Iron & Steel 25½.
Southern Pacific 87.
Southern Railway 163½.
Studebaker Co 61½.
Texas Co 122.
Tennessee Copper 31.
United States Rubber 60½.
United States Steel 51½.
United States Steel pfd 105½.
Utah Copper 62½.
Western Union 64½.
Washington Electric 87.
C. R. I. and Pac. 22½.

FOR RENT:—3 rooms upstairs, 403 Offshore, call Grassmann's, 715 Chillicothe St. 15-3.

FOR RENT:—Furnished front room with private family 724 3rd. Phone 1515 X. 15-3.

FOR RENT:—Light housekeeping rooms, furnished, rent cheap. 1414 6th St. 15-2.

FOR RENT:—Furnished room, gentleman only, 1153 9th. 15-3.

FOR RENT:—7 room house 1420 High St., in rear, Phone 27. 15-3.

FOR RENT:—Furnished room for gentlemen, 827 3rd. 15-3.

FOR RENT:—2 furnished rooms for light housekeeping, 1221 Grandview. 15-3.

FOR RENT:—3 room cottage 10th St., cheap if rented at once. Phone 1410, Leichner & Jordan. 15-3.

FOR RENT:—Large barn for horses and wagon or automobile storage on 8th below Waller St. Call Otto Zoellner & Bro., Jewelers. 15-1.

FOR RENT:—Furnished room 845 7th. 15-3.

FOR RENT:—Furnished room in private family with bath. 727 3rd. 15-3.

FOR RENT:—1 room cottage with basement, garden ready planted. Phone 2000 Y. 15-1.

FOR RENT:—2 front rooms furnished for light housekeeping, 319 Euclid near 9th. Phone 598 X. \$3.00 per week. 15-2.

FOR RENT:—Furnished cottage, 5 rooms and bath, 1651 Logan. Price \$28.00 per month. Mrs. W. S. Walker, 1606 5th St. 15-2.

LOST

LOST:—Lavalier on 4th, Sinton, Gallia, Union or Highland. Phone 1336 X. Reward. 14-2.

LOST:—Black folding leather case containing ribbon samples. \$2 reward if returned at once to Hotel Washington. 15-1.

LOST:—Long black sixteen trunks of small boy's dress suit, Monday afternoon on Court St., between 4th and 2nd Sts. Return to 713 2nd St. and be rewarded. 15-3.

FOUND:—Small purse containing change. Owner can call at Herms Floral Co. and identify same. 15-1.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

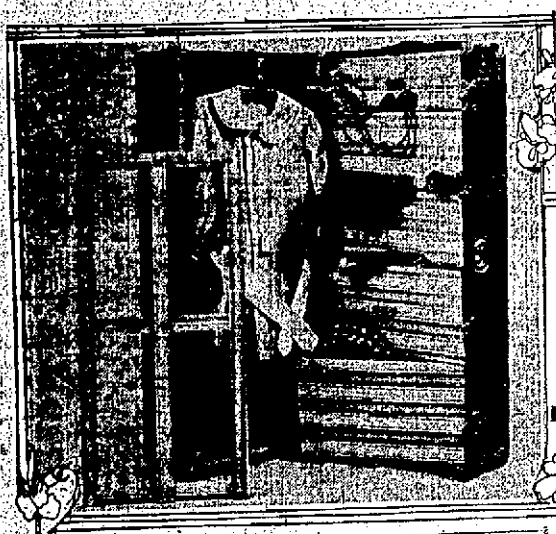
Chicago, Ill., May 15.—Borish crop reports from Kansas made the wheat market react sharply today after an early advance. Strength at the start was due to cable quotations being stronger than expected. The subsequent down turn here appeared to receive some additional impetus from soaking rains northwest where needed.

Opening prices which ranged from quarter to 1½ cents higher was followed by a general decline to well below last night's level. Corn held relatively steady.

FOR SALE

Tuesday, June 1st, 1915, 2 p. m. Pullerton cannery factory, lot and building, Lot 40x125. Building 30x80. New 3

CONVENIENT TRAVELLING TRUNK AND BAG FOR THE SUMMER SOJOURNER



WITH the debut of May an accomplished fact and the advent of June looms up in the distance, the woman who is wise begins to make her arrangements for the summer vacation. Her wardrobe will see warm weather wear out, and once the real hot days start in there will be a veritable rush to the wardrobe, the mountains or whatever spot is particularly favored by cool winds. Then at the last moment there will be a scurrying for transportation and accommodations at the hotels, and much and haste to pack away all one's pretty hats and gowns.

No matter if you are to spend ten months or two weeks vacationing, you will need a convenient trunk and bag, which must accompany you on your journey. A great deal of the traveler's comfort is dependent upon her luggage, for if it is not sufficiently large or conveniently arranged she will not only find her clothes ruined at the end of her travels, but will waste time and money dragging at one tray after another, bending over, rummaging for some desired article of clothing.

This was always necessary in the old days before we knew the comfort and convenience of the wardrobe trunk. Now all this nuisance is dispelled. No more heavy trays to lift out of the trunk before one can reach the contents in the bottom of the box. No more rumpled and wrinkled gowns, found after a short journey heaped in one corner, all their former freshness and beauty gone. The wardrobe trunk, such as is illustrated here, comes to make traveling a joy, to restore our garments to us in the prime of condition, even after they have travelled hundreds of miles.

Favorable Points.
Such a trunk is, perhaps, a bit more expensive than the ordinary kind, but when one considers the points in its favor the initial cost is lost sight of. In this sort of packing case all one does is to slip one's gowns, skirts and blouses over hangers, arranged on a collapsible pole, and fasten them tightly with straps which are provided for this purpose. At the end of the journey the straps are released and the gowns taken off the hangers, fresh and without a wrinkle.

Where there is small closet room in a summer hotel the wardrobe trunk presents another advantage. One's clothes can be kept in the trunk just as in a wardrobe, a convenience which will be appreciated by the woman who heretofore has been forced to crowd many of her best gowns into a small and inadequate space.

DO IT NOW

Ed. Spangler is improving his Thirteenth street property with new sidewalks.

Charles F. Schirrmann, carriage maker, is repainting his home, 1179 Second street.

Contractors Pfeiffer and Carson will soon put in solid hardwood floors and backgrounds in the display windows of Hall Bros., Music Temple clothing.

Contractor Charles Clevering is engaged in equipping the city buildings with new door and window screens.

Grace W. M. Payne is renovating the interior of his store at Second and Jefferson streets.

Charles Clark, a street car motor-man, has joined the Do It Now Club. He is remodeling his property on Mill street.

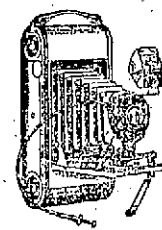
Thrown From Motorcycle

Thrown from a motorcycle when he went to turn sharply in Gay street, off Gallia, Saturday afternoon, Ralph Weston was hurled heavily to the street. He suffered a cut over his left eye and his motorcycle was damaged. Weston lives on Seventh street.

Don't dread washday. There's no reason why you should, because

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SOCIETY

Mr. and Mrs. Mark W. Selby will have as guests over Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hane and Mr. George Christman, of Marion, who accompanied Senator and Mrs. Warren Q. Harding to Portsmouth today. Senator and Mrs. Harding are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Hard during their stay. Mr. and Mrs. Selby motored to Lancaster this afternoon to meet the party.

Mr. Lou C. Smith, of Houston, Texas, will arrive tomorrow to spend a few days with his sister, Mrs. Guy V. Thompson.

Mr. Harry Willard, well-known business man of Wellston, arrived at his home this afternoon after spending two and one-half years in California, Oregon and Washington in search of health. During his stay in the West different members of his family have visited him.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Assmann entertained a few friends informally Thursday evening in celebration of their first wedding anniversary.

Scioto County W. C. T. U. will hold an Institute at Trinity church next Tuesday. Afternoon session at 2 o'clock. The evening session, at 7:30, will be a Matron's Medal contest. The program follows:

Devotional—Mrs. M. W. Brown. Song, "In the Name of Christ, Our King."

Business. Paper, "Peace and Arbitration the Causes of War, and How to Remove Them."

A state W. C. T. U. paper read by Mrs. J. D. Jordan. Vocal Duet—Mrs. Albert Reiser and Mrs. W. T. Gilliland. Reading, "Holworth Day," Chapter first—Mrs. F. W. Chase. Chapter 2nd, Mrs. Arminda Dameron.

Vocal—Mrs. John Newton Davis. Current Events—Mrs. M. E. Moore.

EVENING SERVICE. Song, "Stand Up for Prohibition." Devotional—Mrs. J. P. Smith. Quartette, "Brighter Days Are Coming."

Installation of Y. P. B. officers. Song, "Temperance Boys and Girls Are We"—L. T. L. Reading, "Hans Tinkerhous On the Effects of Strong Drink"—Mrs. Alice Wolfe.

Medal Contest—1. "The Story of John B. Gough." 2. "In the Keys." 3. "The Volunteer Organist." 4. "Turn On the Light." 5. "The Result of Treating."

Contestants—Messdames J. L. Cress, Floyd Barr, Rosa Ward, W. H. Bushman, Winnie Lambert.

Instrumental Music—Miss Ruth Crawford.

Reading, "For the Good of the Order"—Lavinia Tracy.

Vocal—Floyd Sparks.

Vocal Duet—Mrs. Charles Russell and Miss Myrtle Sowers.

Decision of Judges and Presentation of Medal Silver Offering.

Song, "Bring Back My Flax"—L. T. L.

Mrs. Wells A. Hutchins and Mrs. Nora Franklin have returned from a short visit in Wellston, where they were guests of Mrs. Harry Willard.

The Matron and Maid Club will meet Tuesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, at Sed's parlors, where Miss Naomi Conroy will be the hostess.

Mrs. Charles E. Hard will entertain a few friends informally this evening to meet her guest, Mrs. Warren G. Harding.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Hard will entertain a few friends at dinner this evening, complimentary to Senator Warren G. Harding.

Miss Lydia Appel will leave the first of June for East Los Vegas, N. M., to visit the Misses "Dunn" and later will attend the exhibitions in San Diego and Los Angeles, Cal.

Miss Helen Farver, of McCall, Ky., is the guest of Miss Mildred Goodman, on Fourth street.

Leonard Arnsperg, of Chillicothe, is a guest at the home of Mrs. Jacob Laerman, on Seventh street.

Clemens Switalski will arrive home tonight after a week's stay in Cincinnati.

Wells A. Hutchins will return tomorrow from a week's visit at French Lick Springs, Ind.

The T. B. C. Club will meet next Thursday evening at the home of Miss Stephanie Holman.

Mrs. Jacob Brooker, of Cincinnati, formerly of Portsmouth, is the guest of Mrs. August Frowine, of Monroe and Eleventh streets.

The deferred meeting of the Bigelow Woman's Foreign Missionary Society will be held next Tuesday, at 2:30 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. F. E. Dault, on Fourth street.

Mrs. Thomas Brand left this morning for Henley to visit her sister, Mrs. Ben McDaniel until next Wednesday.

Guy V. Thompson leaves tomorrow on a business trip to Washington, D. C.

The Holmes Club held the last of this year's meetings last evening at the home of Mrs. Louis Weiss, on Robinson avenue. The deferred program of May 7th was presented as follows:

Roll-Call—French Presidents.

Polenire and His Government—Mrs. Bertha Switalski.

Music—Quartette—Mrs. Weiss, Mrs. Josephine Trischler, Miss Anna Merrill and Miss Ethel Munser.

Mrs. Rose Spangiel, of Cincinnati, will arrive Monday to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Assmann, on Seventh street.

Mrs. C. B. Clark and little son, Albert, left today for an extended visit with Mr. Clark's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Clark, in Price, Va.

Mrs. John Rinner and Mrs. G. B.

ALLEGED THIEVES ARE HELD TO GRAND JURY

Held to await the action of the next grand jury of Mason county, Ky., were Bud Logan and Frank Thorp, charged with stealing 900 pounds of brass from the C. & O., when given a preliminary hearing before Police Judge Mackey, of Maysville, Saturday morning. Their bond was fixed at \$500 each, and unable to give it, they were remanded to jail.

Mary Large and Lada Colley, of Ashland, Ky., charged with being accessories to the theft, were dismissed, but testified as witnesses for the prosecution, according to J. L. Howerly and G. L. Abbott, special agents of the C. & O., who, with Special Agent Thomas Stegari, of Maysville, effected the capture of Logan and Thorp. It is claimed they shipped 900 pounds of brass on the steamer Courier to Maysville.

Evans will entertain with an A. T. Social Club next Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Rinner, on Eleventh street.

Mrs. William H. Doerr and Mrs. George Lockwood will entertain with a Kensington Monday afternoon at Mrs. Doerr's home on Fourth street for the benefit of the Fresh Air Camp.

Miss Nellie Willett entertained a number of her friends Friday evening at her home on Thimmonds avenue in honor of her guests, Mrs. Alice Levan, of New York City, and Mrs. Frank Rains, of Englewood, N. J. A most enjoyable evening was spent. Those present were Mrs. Frank Webb, Miss Margaret Huer, Miss Floy Staton, Miss Georgia Padan and Mrs. A. L. Rowdy.

Mrs. Rose Gorman has returned to her home in Pikesville after a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. W. O. Horn, of 1655 Twelfth street.

Mrs. James Motts and two children, Homer and Emma, of Fullerton, are the week-end guests of her sister, Mrs. Walter Price, of Sinton street.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Beck and two children, George and Miss Virginia, of 1136 Front street, left Saturday for Leesville, where they will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Wilson.

ville and this was intercepted by the C. & O. detectives and later Logan and Thorp were caught and charged with stealing the brass.

CALL MEETING TO START MILITARY COMPANY IN CITY

All those interested in the organization of an O. N. G. military company in Portsmouth are requested to meet at the Board of Trade rooms on the third floor of the Masonic Temple next Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock. At that time the details of the organization will be explained to them, and all those desiring to become affiliated with the company will be accommodated. Letters were mailed out Saturday to those who have expressed an interest in the matter, asking them to be present.

Capt. James W. Smith, who has charge of the recruiting of the company, received a letter from the state adjutant general's office this morning, advising him that Col. E. S. Bryant, assistant adjutant general, would be here next Thursday evening to muster in the company. All will be in readiness in time for the local company to attend the state encampment of the O. N. G.

WHEELER'S MILL

Mr. Stedman, of Sciotoville, is moving Walter Correll's house this week.

Mrs. Perry and family, of New Boston, have been visiting friends at Wheeler's Mill the past two weeks.

A cavalcade of negroes came down from Virginia last week to begin work on the C. & O. railway Monday morning. Quite a town has been built up down at the mill now for them.

Mrs. Perry and two sons, Raymond and George, were calling on Mrs. Shumway, Tuesday.

Frank McClintick and wife were business callers to Portsmouth last Saturday.

DERNBURG TO LEAVE

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has become prominently active in behalf of the German cause since the outbreak of the war, officials here believe that German-Americans attach official weight to his utterances.

Dr. DERNBURG himself issued a statement last night declaring he had never discussed matters that had arisen diplomatically between the United States and Germany.

Officials here made no comment on that beyond pointing to Dr. DERNBURG's utterances in Cleveland and New York recently seeking to justify the attack on the Lusitania.

Dr. DERNBURG declined today to discuss the statement from Washington that he would soon leave the country on his own initiative. Remaining secluded in his apartments here, he refused to see newspaper representatives. In answer to a note enclosing a copy of the Washington dispatch, he returned the reply: "No comments."

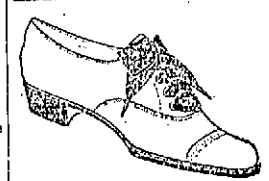
At the Germany embassy it was learned that Dr. DERNBURG had expressed the wish himself to leave the country. Embassy officials made it very plain that

the action was voluntary on his part. The question of his departure depends upon securing assurances from the British and French, through the mediation of the state department, for his immunity from detention on the high seas.

ITALIAN CRISIS

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through the window of the embassy, breaking the glass. He was arrested. At a meeting in Borghez Square twenty speakers, most of them deputies, made addresses in favor of war. A resolution was passed to the effect that the people of Rome believed the country to be in danger and would prevent with all means at their disposal "the sacrifice of national honor."



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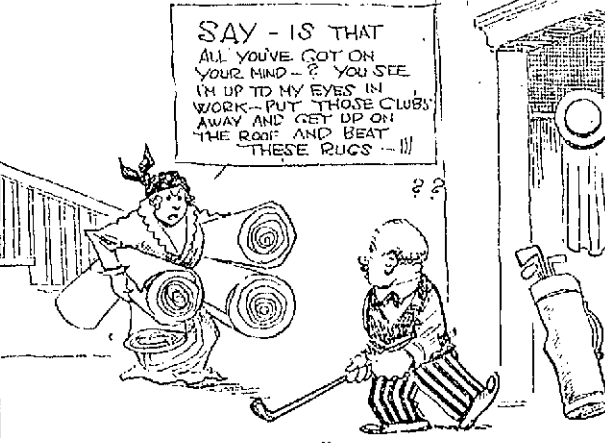
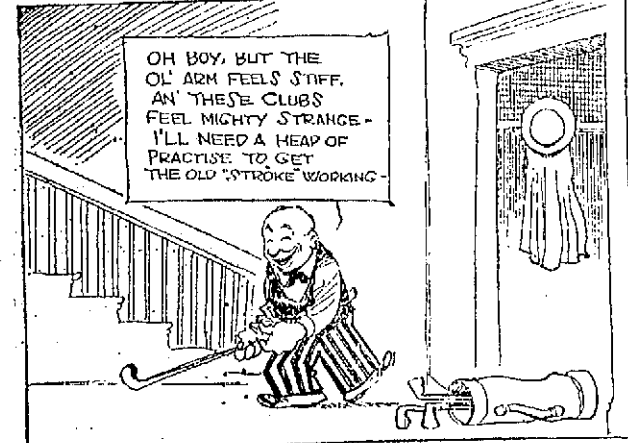
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—SAYS GOVERNOR WILLIS



GOVERNOR FRANK B. WILLIS

Columbus, Ohio, May 15.—"I'll go to Portsmouth or break a piece of harness somewhere trying to do it," said Governor Willis at noon. Pressure of legislative business was strong at executive offices and fear had been expressed that the governor would not be able to get away at four o'clock as he had planned.

"You can tell the boys down at the Scioto mouth for me that I am counting strongly on spending an evening with them," continued the governor. "They have made their invitation extremely attractive and it will seem like a little pleasure jaunt to go there. Incidentally I suppose I will have to make a speech and I suppose the fellows down there will have to listen to me, but then the best thing about the affair is just mixing in with the people in a distant section of the state. You know it seems good to get away from Columbus and the office troubles here once in a while."

The governor grinned. Several senators and a house leader stuck

BAUER BILL IS PASSED BY HOUSE

Columbus, May 15.—The house late today passed the Bauer bill to permit the construction of a rapid transit system in Cincinnati. The vote was 108 to 1. Graham, of Licking, was the only member to vote against the bill.

ONE DAY REST BILL PASSED

Columbus, May 15.—The senate today passed the Whitacre bill providing one day's rest in seven by vote of 27 to 0, after adding exemptions for employees of electric and power plants, on amendment of Senator Myers, of Marion; restaurants, hotels, brick and pottery plants, on amendment by Senator Collins, of Hamilton; and sugar refineries, by Senator Lynch, of Lucas.

EVEN TAKES GAS MONEY

The U. S. Fuel and Gas Company of New Boston, was directed by Judge Thomas Saturday morning to pay over to Evelyn Davis the \$3 deposited with the company for gas by her husband, Edgar W. Davis, which is to be applied as alimony. If the husband is indebted to the company, the balance shall be paid to the wife, who is suing her husband for divorce in the local courts. Blair and Kinsale are her attorneys.

ATTENTION K. OF P.'S

All Knights of Pythias are invited to meet with Massie and Magnolia lodges at Magnolia Hall, corner Sixth and Chillicothe streets, Sunday, May 16th, 10 a. m., to attend services at the German Evangelical church, corner Fifth and Washington streets. (Signed) MASSIE AND MAGNOLIA COMMITTEE.

Carl Schneider is able to be out after a two weeks' illness with lumbago.

BIG BANQUET IS TONIGHT

Word was received Saturday morning that Senator Warren G. Harding would arrive in Portsmouth some time Saturday afternoon in an automobile accompanied by his wife, and a party of friends. Governor Willis and his party of the state officials, politicians, and newspaper men from Columbus, will arrive on the 7:30 o'clock N. & W. train this evening.

No changes have been announced in the program for the big Republican banquet and rally to be held at Kendall's Hall, Seventh and Chillicothe streets, this evening. The banquet will be served immediately upon the arrival of the governor and his party from the train.

Speeches by Governor Willis and Senator Harding will follow, with probably short addresses by other prominent officials present. Dr. P. J. Kline will serve as toast master, while Judge James W. Bannan will be chairman of the early ceremonies.

The hall is in gala attire for the big event, which is expected to be one of the most notable Republican gatherings ever held in this city. Besides the distinguished speakers, the guest list will include officials and party leaders of national, state, and district prominence.

The advance guard of Republican notables who will be guests at the big Republican banquet in this city this evening started to arrive at noon today, and others

Franklin avenue, while his secretary, George B. Christian, will be a guest at the Mark W. Selby home on Fourth street.

Governor Willis will spend the night at the home of former Congressman and Mrs. Henry T. Bannan, of Bannan Place, leaving for Columbus early Sunday morning.

BUDGET READY FOR GOVERNOR

Columbus, May 15.—The state budget bill carrying an appropriation of \$42,000,000 for expenses of the state government during the next two years was passed in the house at last night's all night session and is now ready for the governor's signature.

STRIKE AS A PROTEST

Home, (via Paris) May 15.—A strike has been proclaimed at Milan as a protest against the course of political events in Italy. Troops are occupying all the strategic points in the city.

Came For His Auto

Fred Weinkaupt, an N. & W. conductor, came up from Cincinnati Saturday to get his automobile. He will drive it through to Cincinnati Sunday and will be accompanied by Rigdon Hall, Eli Stevens and Will Byers, of this city. Mr. Weinkaupt makes his headquarters in Cincinnati.

On Business.

Undertaker Louis Snyder and wife, of Wheelersburg, were in city on business Friday.

NO CONDITION LIKELY TO EMBROIL U. S. IN WAR, THINKS SENATOR

Senator Warren G. Harding, who will be one of the guests of honor at the Republican banquet this evening, was asked by The Times to give an expression concerning the controversy with Germany, and his response shows

that there is little probability of war with Germany, though interrupted friendly relations are very likely. Without a compact to enforce the rules of international law there is no condition likely which will embroil us, because Germany will cease her attacks on neutral vessels.

"We cannot be influential as a warring world power, because we are not equipped for war, but I can believe the utterances of this great peace-loving people will lead to reflections in Europe which will prove helpful. If this protest of President Wilson will lead to a truce between England and Germany in the destruction of commerce, it will be immeasurable compensation. Perhaps that is too much to expect."

"We can well afford to avoid discussion until Germany makes reply. I do not look for a cessation of submarine warfare on commerce, but it will be modified so as to protect the lives of non-combatants. Though we speak as a feeble power, so far as army and navy are concerned, this great people can become a formidable power, and any utterance like that of the note to Germany is equivalent to the voice of a civilization of world-wide recognition."

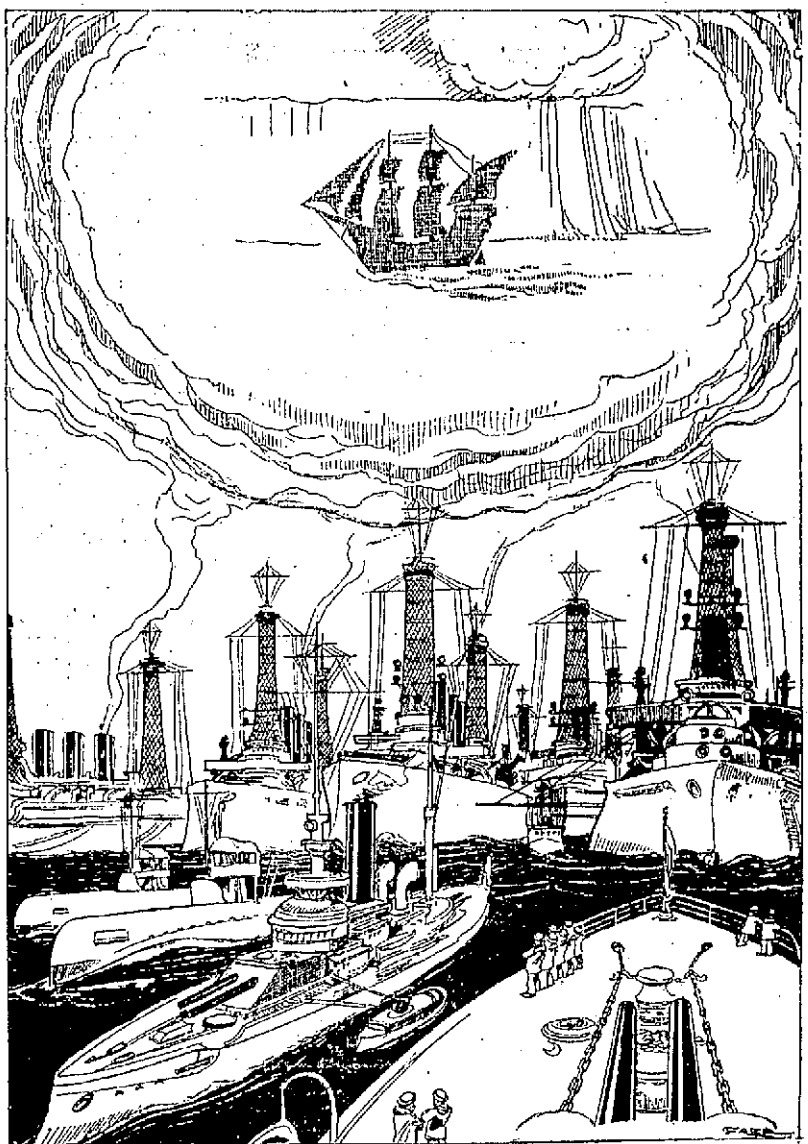


SEN. WARREN G. HARDING

that he has been giving the matter consideration from all angles. It will be of interest and profit to all to read what Senator Harding says. He insists there is little to say on the European situation. He says:

"That the country is solidly back of President Wilson,

YESTERDAY AND TO-DAY ON THE HUDSON



Dreams Of The Days When The Ohio River Comes Back

"I see by the papers where they are going to start a line of steamboats between Cincinnati and New Orleans, to run in connection with the Panama canal, or something like that. That means that there will be a line between Pittsburgh and New Orleans, and you will see a revival of steamboating all along, here like it used to be in the days of Wash. Boushell and those high-up fellows."

The speaker was the Flood Wall philosopher. He sat on the Flood wall with his feet on the terrace and his back to the river. The old "old river man" was written all over him, in dress, manner, facial expression and general style. His audience was small but select—selected from people much like himself.

"Yes, sir, I'll tell you what's a fact," said he as he lifted his right leg over his left knee, "The time will come when the river along here will be full of steamboats, and big ones, and every one will come to the steamboats like they now go to Chillicothe street and Millbrook park. I know, I can feel it in my bones"—and he ran his right hand down his left leg in a manner that suggested rheumatism.

"He's nutty," said one of the auditors, under his breath.

"By gum, I don't know about that," replied another. "I believe he is about right. I had a dream the other night right along that line. I dreamed I was standing on this embankment and saw a dozen large steamboats at the landing, and as many more in the river, coming and going. The fellows who are writing that Panama canal, stuff know what they are about. I expect to live long enough to see all these buildings along here occupied and doing a rushing business, and the West End and river front what it used to be and ought to be."

"That's some dream," pardner, responded another party, "and I hope it will come true; But I'm not brim full of faith, like some others. I'll have to be shown."

At this the philosopher, who had spoken first, rubbed both legs with the palms of both hands, and said: "I'll bet any man a new straw hat, or a dress suit."

"Hey, there, you fellows—stand aside and give the passengers from the ferry boat a chance to get over the wall."

It was a traffic officer that spoke, and there was general compliance with his mandate.

Mr. Rice Here.

Dennis Rice, who travels for the Whitaker-Glessner company, is here on a short visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rice.

Memorial Day Is To Be Observed May 31; Sermon Sunday Before

Bailey Post, G. A. R., at its meeting Friday evening, decided definitely to observe Memorial Day on Monday, 31st, as was first announced. The committee in charge were instructed to go ahead with the arrangements for the exercises, and the members will hold a meeting next Thursday evening to perfect the arrangements. The committee is composed of John D. Jones, Harry Kuhnmar, Firmin Smith and W. H. Williams. Attention will be given the soldiers' graves at Greenlawn before Memorial Day, some of them having sunk in. The committee to look after this work is composed of George D. Selby, Harry Kuhnmar and W. H. Williams.

The Post accepted the invitation of Rev. Walter T. Obillard, pastor of Manly M. E. church, to attend the services at that church on Sunday evening, May 30th, when the memorial sermon will be preached. The Post will attend in a body. The invitation of the Sons of Veterans to attend the patriotic exercises at the High School auditorium on Friday evening, May 21, was also accepted.

Nearly endorsement was given the movement to organize a military company in this city to be affiliated with the Ohio National Guard.

A letter from Mrs. D. P. Pratt was read expressing her appreciation of the resolutions passed by the Post in respect to the memory of her late husband who was a member.

Commander Milstead also read a letter from John H. Dye, former secretary of the Sons of Veterans, now located at Willard, Ky., which was full of interest to the members.

Jury Commissioners Are Named By Judge

John Jones, Democrat, and Philo S. Clark, Republican, both of this city, were named by Judge Thomas in common pleas court this morning as jury commissioners for Scioto county for the coming year. They succeed George H. Bratten, of Hadden, and H. H. Barney of Wheelersburg. The law provides that the commissioners shall be of opposite political parties.

Judge Thomas directed the new appointees to meet at the court house on Monday, May 24th for the purpose of selecting the names of two hundred and fifty persons to serve as regular jurors in common pleas court during the coming year.

KORN KARNIVAL WILL BE A MAMMOTH EVENT

Portsmouth is planning for a bigger and better Korn Karnival this year. It will be held October 6, 7, 8 and 9.

You do not have to prove this assertion. It is admitted on all sides. The Retail Merchants' Association is at work on the plans of this year's magnificent show and it already gives promise of eclipsing anything of the kind ever attempted in this part of the Buckeye State. The standard of attractions is to be elevated, a special effort will be made to enhance the attractiveness of the farm products and one or two spectacular attractions, such as "Fighting the Flames," will be secured to give the Karnival a distinctive touch. The premium list for farm products is now in the hands of the printer and 6,000 copies will be distributed throughout the county. Arthur Bode, one of the real K. K. hustlers, is in charge of this work.

In the way of amusements some new ideas will be advanced and no doubt worked out satisfactorily. Strauss is chairman of this committee and is already in touch with many of the best attractions obtainable for Karnival purposes.

It was stated Saturday that the executive committee is busily engaged in mapping out its work. This committee is composed of Samuel Horchow, Charles Danhlor, Arthur Bode and Albert Zoellner. A "two-mile dinner" on the city streets, Ladies' Day, Children's Day, Baby Parade, etc., are among features discussed.

"We are going to improve the Karnival wherever possible," said Mr. Horchow, Saturday. "We realize the task before us as the two Karnivals already given were splendidly arranged and well attended affairs. We feel that the public will demand something new and that is what we are trying to do now, so make additional features that will make the Karnival one of the most memorable affairs of the kind ever held in Ohio," said Mr. Horchow, Saturday.

AMERICANS LOSE THEIR PROPERTY IN MEXICO

Douglas, Ariz., May 15.—Seven thousand Vanquis are raiding the inland towns of Sonora, according to information received here. The property of Americans everywhere in the Yaqui territory except Guaymas, Cananea, El Tigre and Esperanza, has been destroyed it is stated and their live stock driven off. Seven towns have been raided.

MAYOR ATTENDS GAME, CELLAR IS WHITEWASHED, HOW TRICK WAS TURNED

A smooth story of how "Cat" Sly and "White Wing" Henderson treated the mayor's cellar to a coat of white washing without his knowledge has just come to light.

It was while the city executive was busy attending the opening game of the base ball season that the trick was turned. The two showed up at the Frick home on Eighth street with their outfit. Mrs. Frick argued that her husband invariably acquainted her with plans regarding their home but the men so insisted that the mayor had sent them that she finally allowed them to proceed.

Soon after they pleaded for fifty cents, claiming to be hungry and wanted to save themselves the trouble of going home to dinner. She gave them the money only to discover an empty whiskey bottle later. She refused to settle with them when they demanded four dollars and when they appeared at headquarters next morning for a settlement were treated to an unmerciful scolding, the mayor telling them he would not have them in his cellar for \$50. To get rid of them he finally gave them 50 cents each.

Suits To Condemn

Condemnation proceedings were instituted in probate court Saturday by Attorney Dawson and Ransom, representing the C. & O. Northern Railroad company, against George McCook, Clark, Sallie Clark, Elizabeth, Elizabeth Lynne, Fred V. Lynne, and William Purdy, all owners of properties in Harrison township through which the railroad company desires to construct its line. The company represents that it is unable to come to a satisfactory agreement as to the price of the land wanted, and the court is asked to fix the value.

Will See Races

Will H. McMurray left Saturday morning for Columbus to attend the automobile races. While in Columbus he will meet Will Summers, a former Portsmouth boy, now of Bramwell, W. Va.

Working At Presslers'

Carl Zeune, son of John Zeune, and a high school student, has taken a position in the Pressler pharmacy on Offshore street. He will take up the study of pharmacy.

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To Get Physically Fit

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Steps On Nail ; Has Blood Poison

Walter Rambo, a Whitaker-Glessner steel worker, is laid up at his home, 1422 Mond street, suffering with blood-poisoning in his right foot. While at King's camp, on Tygart Creek Friday afternoon Rambo stepped on a rusty nail, blood-poisoning developing Saturday morning.

Miss Anstead Leaves

Mrs. Minnie Anstead, local visiting nurse, will leave Sunday morning for Chicago, where she will take a six-months' post-graduate course in the Cook county Hospital, one of the largest in America. During her absence her work will be looked after by Mrs. Elida Wyans.

GIBSON ARRESTED; SERIOUS CHARGE

Oscar Gibson, a former Market street restaurant keeper, was arrested by Officers Moore and Brannan Saturday afternoon on a charge preferred by Miss Mollie Osborn, alleging that he at different times rented rooms for immoral purposes.

The complainant is a 17-year-old girl from Bluefield, W. Va. She had come to police headquarters Saturday and asked assistance in recovering her clothes, which she said Gibson was holding on his family boat and which he had repeatedly refused to give up to her, she claims. It was only a remark dropped by her in an unguarded moment that led to the filing of the more serious charge.

The Osborn girl said she had been visiting in Ashland, Ky., two weeks ago and one day met Mrs. Gibson on the streets. She said Mrs. Gibson asked her to come to Portsmouth to work for her in her restaurant. She did so, but upon her arrival found the Gibsons had sold their restaurant. She said they took her in at their family boat, she doing their washing for them, she claims. She also claims that Gibson proposed to her that she entertain some of his friends, but that she resented the proposal. Gibson vigorously denies the charge. The Osborn girl at present is employed as a domestic in a Madison street home.

WITH THE SICK

Louis Cadlin, who is taking treatment at the Mt. Vernon Sanatorium, is here on a visit to friends and relatives and is looking better than he has for many months. He says at present there are 150 patients in the Mt. Vernon hospital and nearly all of them are on the road to recovery.

Mrs. Mary Rollins, of Fifteenth and Union streets, is seriously ill with a nervous breakdown.

Miss Ella Reilly underwent a successful operation for gonorrhea Wednesday.

L. L. Crawford, of 16 Gay street, who fell and injured his right leg at the Selby factory about a week ago, is able to be out on crutches.

Mrs. Rebecca Bridges, of Front street, who cut the second finger on her right hand while cleaning a gas stove, faces blood poisoning, as the hand is badly swollen.

Frank Treat, who has been ill for many weeks, suffered a relapse Friday evening and was reported quite a sick man Saturday. He lives at 550 Front street.

Mrs. Walter Price, of 12 Sinton street, who has been quite ill for a week with stomach trouble, is slowly improving.

Mrs. Eliza Sheets, of 25 Gay street, is very seriously ill with a general breakdown and expects to enter the hospital to undergo an operation in a few days.

Mrs. Carlos Pyles, who recently underwent an operation at a Cincinnati hospital for a throat affliction, is slowly improving at the hospital, but is still quite ill.

Mrs. William Gableman, her sister, who has been at her bedside since the operation, returned home Friday night, accompanied by her husband, who went down Friday morning.

Misses Rat, Got Finger

John Richter, well known Third street hotel keeper, had a finger of his left hand almost severed by getting it caught in an old-fashioned trigger rat trap Saturday. The rat got away.

The liveliest telephone wires in Portsmouth are those leading to the TIMES WANT AD department.

TO UNDERGO OPERATION

John Grummell received word Saturday that his sister-in-law, Mrs. Ella Grummell Wise, formerly of this city, it is M. Carmel hospital in Columbus to undergo a surgical operation and that she is in a serious condition. She never fully recovered from the effects of injuries sustained when a porch swing fell with her a year ago. Her husband, Will Grummell, is employed with the M. Stanton Company at Columbus.

DUTEL'S CORNER

Our Sunday school at Mt. Hope is progressing nicely under the able management of Mr. J. F. Hoffer as superintendent.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Ruth and sister, Miss Mary Ruth, were visiting among relatives at South Webster Saturday.

Charles Besco has his new dwelling house almost completed and will soon be ready to move into it.

Mrs. Martha Dutiel, who has been bedfast for more than a year, is no better.

Mrs. J. C. Ruth had as guests Monday Mrs. Frank Ruth and daughters, Mary and Bertha, and Mrs. S. E. Ruth, of Scioto Furnace.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dutiel, of Scioto Furnace, motored to this place and spent Monday evening as the guests of relatives here.

John Bandy, of Lyra, is helping John C. Dutiel with his spring house-cleaning.

Miss Olive Smith, of Lyra, spent Sunday as the guest of Gertrude Weaver.

Miss Mary Ruth, of Portsmouth, is spending this week very pleasantly visiting friends and relatives at this place. Miss Ruth will return to the Peerless Monday.

Mrs. Floyd Dutiel had as guests Sunday her brother, Alfred Hughes, and wife, of Clinton Furnace.

Farming seems to be the order of the day.

SEDAN

A large concourse of friends attended the funeral services held at the Sedan Christian church May 2, 1915, over the remains of Ernest Smith, son of Charlie Smith, who was drowned in the Ohio river while working on one of the government dams on November 20, 1914, his body being recovered April 29, 1915. The services were conducted by the Rev. John Lawwill, of Reibel, Pike county, O. Rev. Lawwill chose for his text Matt. 7:1. His discourse was an eloquent one, in which he proved from the Scripture that the spirit lives during the interval between death and the resurrection. The deceased was born Sept. 23, 1893, and was therefore 21 years, 1 month and 23 days old at the time of his death. He was a member of Natchitoches Lodge, Order of Red Men of Pike, O., which organization attended in a body. He leaves a father, mother, brother and two sisters to mourn his untimely death. Undertaker Hartman of Lucasville, had charge of the remains, which were laid to rest in

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There is no death! An angel form Walks o'er the earth with silent tread; They bear our dear loved ones away, And then we call them dead.

There is no death! The leaves may fall The flowers may fade and pass away, They only wait through wintry hours The coming of the May.

And ever near us though unseen, The dear immortal spirits tread; For all the boundless universe Is life! There is no dead.

LYRA

(Delayed From Last Week.)

A large crowd from here attended the funeral of Mrs. Lulu Jenkins at Vernon, Sunday.

Mr. Arthur Cheek was visiting Mr. Gen. Taylor Sunday afternoon. Mr. Ray Bandy spent Sunday with Miss Rilla Carraway.

Mr. and Mrs. Snyder and son, of Lucasville, are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Mathiott.

A Fashion Hint.

There are few women who do not possess perfectly good tight skirts, such as were fashionable a season or two ago. They do not wish to lay these aside, yet the question invariably is, What can be done with them in order to bring them up to date? The answer above is a design that may be used in suggesting how to make over an old skirt and bring it quite up to the required width at the lower edge. To do this requires the simplest kind of a change. Each side of the skirt is clipped or slit up to the required distance shown in the design and a V-shaped piece is inserted.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Gideon Koch

Mrs. Gideon Koch, a widow, died at the home of her son, Sherman Koch, of Rarden, early Saturday morning. Death resulted from a stroke of paralysis suffered while attending church last Sunday morning. She is survived by three sons, Charles, Sherman, and Samuel, and one daughter, Emma, all of Rarden.

Mrs. Rosa Collins Bocoock

Mrs. Rosa Collins Bocoock died at her home in Star Yards Saturday morning at 7:30 after a short illness with complications. She was 22 years old. Besides her husband she leaves her mother, Mrs. Minnie Stumper, and five sisters, Mrs. Virgie Large of Buerston, Ky., Mrs. Nora Eldridge, of Olive Hill, Ky., Mrs. Dicie Pemberton, of Lakeside, Mrs. Jollie Fife, of Lakeside and Miss Pearl Collins at home and one brother, Ben Collins.

Short funeral services will be held at the home Saturday evening at 7 o'clock by Rev. Book of Firebrick, Ky. The body will be shipped to Olive Hill, Sunday.

Turner Funeral

The funeral of Samuel Turner,

who was drowned in the Ohio river a week ago, took place from the late home, 1602 Franklin avenue Friday afternoon, and was attended by sorrowing friends. Included in the number were fellow employees of the Peoples Paving Brick Company's plant, Rev. Samuel Lindenmeyer, of the German Evangelical church, of which Mr. Turner was a member, conducted the services. There were many beautiful floral offerings. Burial took place in Greenlawn cemetery.

Mrs. Thomas Douglass

The remains of Mrs. Thomas Douglass, who died at McGraw, were taken to Sandy Springs, Adams county, Friday for burial.

Harry Quasser

Harry Quasser, of Third street, will go to Cincinnati Sunday to attend the funeral of his cousin, Harry Quasser, who died in Los Angeles, Cal. The body arrived in Cincinnati Saturday.

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Several of our progressive farmers attended the sale of Ben Hanes, of Lick Run.

Mrs. Sarah Besco and Mrs. Bessie Besco, of Dutiel's Corner were shopping at Lym, Monday.

Mr. Clarence Conway, of South Webster, was visiting his friend, Mr. Cecil Ruth, last week.

Mr. Floyd Buchanan attended the ball game at Jones' Corner Sunday.

Mr. Charles Hixon, of Superior, is farming for Mr. Isaac Bennington.

Mrs. Charles Besco was visiting in Sciotoville, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jones and family were visiting Mrs. Floyd Dutiel, Sunday.

ROSE HILL

The Gibson's vanderbilt show went to McDermott Sunday morning.

Miss Bessie Eaton, of Otway, spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks here.

Mr. Alva Hazellaker, of Otway, was seen going up Laver's Hill Sunday evening.

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NEW BLOCK IS TO BE ERECTED

The Portsmouth Supply and Manufacturing company expects to build a three story brick business house on its lot at the south-west corner of Eighth and Gallia streets within the next year.

The company's lease on its present quarters at Gallia and Officers streets still has eighteen months to run. The new structure will be used by the firm exclusively for its steadily growing wholesale business.

Portsmouth Bank Gets N. B. Bonds

The Portsmouth Banking Co. was the successful bidder for the \$12,500 village's portion of New Boston street assessment bonds, opened at the village clerk's office Saturday noon.

The Portsmouth company's bid was a premium of \$41. The First National bank bid \$35.63, Spitzer-Rorick & Co. and Otis & Co., both of Cleveland, O., also submitted bids but they were irregular.

Eagles Memorial Sunday Morning

River City Aeris, Fraternal Order of Eagles, will honor its dead with impressive memorial services at Greenlawn cemetery, Sunday morning at 8 o'clock. The lodge members will assemble at the cemetery at the appointed hour, and participate in the services, according to the lodge ritual. Worthy President William Staiger will be in charge, assisted by the other officers.

Flowers will be strewn upon the graves of the deceased brothers at the conclusion of the exercises.

ATTENTION K. OF P.'S

All Knights of Pythias are invited to meet with Massie and Magnolia lodges at Magnolia Hall, corner Sixth and Chillicothe streets, Sunday, May 16th, 10 a. m., to attend services at the German Evangelical church, corner Fifth and Washington streets. (Signed) MASSIE AND MAGNOLIA COMMITTEE.

WILLIAM THAW SHOWS BRAVERY

Paris, May 15.—William Thaw, of Pittsburgh, who is serving as a pilot in the French military aviation corps, has been commended in army orders for his brilliant services and has received the recently founded military cross. Thaw volunteered at the beginning of the war in the American corps of the foreign legion and was appointed to the aviation corps in December. It was reported in Paris in April that he had been killed.

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NEWSPAPERS COMMENT ON PRESIDENT'S NOTE

NEW YORK EVENING POST

"President Wilson has splendidly met the just desires of the American people. His note to the German government is both in form and substance all that the crisis demanded. It is studiously courteous, yet the iron determination behind it is not concealed. It states our righteous grievance, basing it upon the general principles of the law of nations. With clear provision and urgent force but carefully leaves the door open to Germany to make amends to the United States and to set herself right in the eyes of the world."

SEATTLE (WASH.) TIMES

"It is a temperate and meaning note. Ninety per cent of the American people will stand behind the president in his efforts to carry out those real American declarations of true patriotism."

INDIANAPOLIS GERMAN TELEGRAPH TRIBUNE

"We believe it impossible for the German government to comply with the president's extravagant demand which amounts to German disarmament on sea. All that will be required to safeguard British armored merchantmen carrying contraband will be to put passengers, preferably Americans on board, and they will be immune from attack by German submarines. It is an injustice of President Wilson to demand that Germany should lay aside its most effective weapon of attack."

MILWAUKEE ABENDPOST

"We do not remember ever having written an article with heavier hearts. While we compose it we are under pressure of a most cruel situation, which an American citizen of German extraction may have to face, that which has always appeared to us not only as direct calamity that could befall us, but also most heinous crime that could be committed against civilization, has apparently at least become a possibility—a war between the two countries dearest and nearest to our hearts. On one side there is no sentiment more natural and more beautiful than the loving attachment to the country where our cradles stood. x x x On the other side we are American citizens who under all conditions have to conserve their loyalty to the great country of their adoption. x x x We can only express our greatest hope that the German government while fully conserving its rights may yet find in its answer the tone that will spare us the worst."

CLEVELAND NEWS

"Our country's hope of unbroken peace now rests with Berlin. The note fulfills all that was predicted of it. It is all that Americans could wish. In its dignity, honesty, moderation and determination it deserves to stand as it does stand, as the voice of the whole American people."

DENVER POST

"The president's note to Germany is mainly and patriotically. The stand of the United States is unquestionable, notwithstanding the suave and diplomatic expressions used. The red blooded people of the West would have preferred a note containing a little emphasis and a little less circumlocution, but anyhow, come what will, the contents of the note and its sentiment are endorsed by the unanimous sentiment of the great Rocky Mountain regions."

SAN ANTONIO LIGHT

"The note is a great state paper. The entire country will resolutely endorse the president in the stand he has taken, be the developments what they may."

CLEVELAND WAECHTER UND ANZEIGER

"Everything of course depends on what the real goal our government is driving at. If so disposed, a polite answer giving the German viewpoint could be accepted the same as England's denying answer to the American note protesting the rights of neutral commerce. This would be the wisest and best. But we cannot claim that some of the note's sentences, especially those towards the end, encourage such hopes."

RICHMOND (VA.) NEWS LEADER

"Germany must now decide whether she will accept the American protest as an ultimatum or as an opinion reminding an indefensible proclamation. If she is willing to abandon a policy of wholesale murder and cowardly assassination, she can do so with no loss of prestige by a simple disavowal of the acts of her naval officers. Our protest is unequivocal and was meant to be so."

MILWAUKEE (WIS.) JOURNAL

"There is no mistaking the firmness of the note nor its purpose if possible of averting an irreparable breach of friendly relations. In its stand adverse to the use of submarines against merchantmen, the government at Washington will command the support of every neutral nation."

MILWAUKEE (WIS.) JOURNAL

"The note asserts rights guaranteed American citizens: under the laws of nations to safety of lives on neutral vessels and on merchant vessels of belligerents. The president's firmness and desire for friendship are certain of support from all Americans."

MILWAUKEE (WIS.) NEWS

"The note puts matters where it is Germany's next move, if any move is to be made. The president has placed this nation where its moral attitude will need no explaining, no matter what necessity it may be called to justify."

LOS ANGELES TIMES

"It is apparent that the feeling and attitude of the president and his advisors is conciliatory. That is the state of mind of the country. But America will insist to the last that there be no more murderous attacks on merchantmen carrying non-combatants, women and children."

PORTLAND (ME.) PRESS

"President Wilson has taken a bold position. It behooves us to have full confidence in the president and be prepared to give him the support he has a right to expect."

PORTLAND (ME.) ARGUS

"The note will have the unqualified approval of the American people. The whole nation will be with him (the president) whatever eventually may arise."

COLUMBUS DISPATCH

"It was given to President Wilson to be the voice of the nation crying out against the horrors of war. It was his duty and he has performed it admirably."

GRAND RAPIDS PRESS

"While presenting the situation the president wisely opens the way for negotiations for settlement and reparation provided Germany enters upon them in friendly feeling and with evident desire to avoid the supreme arbitration."

MINNEAPOLIS JOURNAL

"The strength of President Wilson's note lies beneath the surface. Outwardly it is almost too calm but upon examination it is seen that the formal cavity of expression is in reality a mask for a grave and final proposition to the imperial government of Germany. And then comes the last strong paragraph. Could the president have said more? The American people will stand by these words."

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ANTI-JAP RIOTS IN HANKOW

Hankow, China, May 15.—(via Paris).—An incipient anti-Japanese riot resulted last night from the circulation of circulars of unknown origin stating that the Japanese colony would hold a lantern parade in celebration of the victory over China. Shops were closed and crowds assembled at the British concession to watch the Japanese procession. Three Japanese shops were looted and two Japanese injured. British and Russian volunteers with fixed bayonets dispersed the rioters before the arrival of a regiment of Chinese troops which had been called out to quell the disturbance.

Inspects Plant

William Gergens, city service director, George Wilhelm, city engineer, Arthur Harwood, assistant engineer and Fred Bessman, of the safety department went to Black Fork, Saturday as guests of Simon Labold. They went to inspect the Cambria Clay Products plant. Mr. Labold is president of the company. The trip was made in his touring car.

RAILROADS CAN'T OWN STEAMSHIPS

Washington, D. C., May 15.—The application of the Pennsylvania, New York Central, Lehigh Valley and other railroads to obtain ownership and continue operation of boat lines on the Great Lakes despite the prohibition in the Panama Canal act was denied today by the interstate commerce commission.

All the railroads applying must give up their boat lines by December 1, 1915.

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BUILDING PERMITS

James A. Kelly, sanitary sewer tap at No. 1611 Seventh street.

Examiner In The City

John H. Lange, deputy state bank examiner, arrived home Friday night for a week-end visit.

MORGANTHAU INTERVENE FOR NON-COMBATANTS

London, May 15.—Fifty British and French nationals who were deported from Constantinople to the Gallipoli Peninsula by the Turkish authorities have been brought back to the capital through the efforts of United States Ambassador Morgenthau, according to a Renter dispatch from Athens.

The deportation of British and French citizens to the scene of violent fighting in the Dardanelles region was decreed by Turkey on the ground that shell fire from the allied fleet was killing, wounding or endangering Turkish non-combatants whose homes are on

GERMAN PAPER SAYS ALL BLAME FOR SINKING THE LUSITANIA UPON THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Amsterdam, via London, May 15.—All the blame for the sinking of the Lusitania is placed upon the United States government by the Berlin Vossische Zeitung of Thursday, which argues that the liner took no care to avoid danger, but considered her protection in "the living American rampart."

The newspaper asserts it was the American passengers on board who were to insure that five thousand

cases of ammunition in her hold would not be touched. It is stated that the fact that Americans were being used for this purpose naturally was concealed from passengers of that nationality. The Vossische Zeitung says the American government must start from this point to ascertain who was responsible for the concealment of this danger and consider whether it can allow belligerent countries to strike the lives of

American citizens in order to obtain the conveyance of contrabands. The newspaper further contends that after Germany's declaration of a war zone on February 4, the American government ought to have prevented its citizens from embarkation on British steamers, even those on the auxiliary list, as in times of peace, instead of permitting individual Americans to run into danger, the magnitude of which they failed to understand.

ANTI-GERMAN SITUATION IS TENSE IN SOUTH AFRICA; DAMAGES MOUNT HIGH

London, May 15.—A Renter dispatch from Capetown, filed Friday, says:

"Immense crowds thronged the streets tonight, singing 'Rule Britannia' and their behavior sometimes was threatening. Troops and police found great difficulty in preventing disorders. It was announced that the government had decided to intern all male aliens of enemy nationality and also to protect with every force at its disposal naturalized aliens, or those who have applied for naturalization."

Gen. Botha Issues Appeal
Deplored Rioting
"General Botha has issued to the people of the Union of South Africa a message deploring the anti-German riots, which he characterizes as unworthy of a strong and chivalrous people, however great the provocation."

Latest reports show that the rioting has been of a most serious character, but fear of a possible uprising among 250,000 mine boys along the Rand now apparently is having a steadying effect. The natives obtained liquor freely from looted stores and this added greatly to the peril of the situation."

"An appeal issued by the committee, which is arranging a mass meeting for tomorrow night, asks citizens to preserve the city's good name by insuring the safety of all property. The appeal also calls attention to the danger of unrest among the natives."

Large Warehouses Are Systematically Destroyed
"Some of the largest warehouses on the Rand, containing immense stores of merchandise belonging to Germans, or supposed Germans, are reported to have been systematically destroyed. When the work of destruction was at its height, flames were visible for miles around. The big building simply were set afire and allowed to blaze. The goods found in smaller shops, hotels and offices were flung out of windows and made into bonfires."

"Strong forces of police and troops are held in readiness in Cape Town tonight to prevent further disturbances. Bars, clubs and hotels were closed and citizens warned to remain in their homes."

"Reports from Durban describe the wholesale firing and sacking of German business houses, hotels and wool stores. The damage there is estimated at considerably over a quarter of a million dollars. Fire brigades and the police are virtually helpless and the disturbances continue."

"A significant result of the disturbances is that many prominent Germans have discovered their country's methods of warfare."

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Peerless League Gets Fine Start, Here Are Winners

PEERLESS LEAGUE

How They Stand

Won	Lost	Pct.
Bigelow	1	0
All Stars	1	0
Cardinals	0	1
Yankees	0	1

The Peerless League was officially opened this morning at York park. A big crowd of fans were out in spite of bad weather, and the first game was started in a drizzling rain. The skies cleared up a few minutes later, and the grounds were in fine shape. The winners were Bigelow and the All Stars.

Bigelow Bats Way To Victory

In the opening game Saturday morning at York park the Bigelow team had on their batting legs and secured sixteen hits off Pitcher Milhuff. Six of these came in a row in the fourth and gave them a lead of five runs, which the Yankees could not overcome. The fielding feature by Lodwick was a one-handed stab of a hot liner. Grimes and Bryant featured at the bat, while Manager Monk surprised everybody with a two-bagger. A good many hits were secured on Paxson, but he kept them well scattered. The score:

Bigelow	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Virgin, 2b	6	3	2	4	2	0
Gower, ss	5	2	2	0	2	1
Smith, c	6	2	2	0	2	0
Sterens, 1b	6	0	1	7	2	2
J. Reeg, cf	3	3	0	2	0	1
Dillon, 3b	5	1	2	3	0	1
Altman, rf	4	1	2	1	0	0
Grimes, lf	5	2	3	1	0	0
Paxson, p	5	0	2	0	4	0
Totals	45	14	16	27	12	4

Yankees	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Lodwick, 2b	4	1	1	2	3	0
Wilson, cf	4	0	2	0	1	0
Monk, 1b	4	1	1	1	3	0
Eppensleiner, c	5	1	1	4	0	3
E. Reeg, 3b	5	1	1	2	1	0
Starlin, ss	1	1	0	1	0	1
George, ss	2	0	0	1	1	0
B. Bryant, cf	4	2	2	1	1	0
H. Bryant, lf	3	0	1	0	1	0
Milhuff, p	3	0	1	4	7	0
Totals	35	7	10	27	13	5

Runners: 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9
Bigelow 4 0 0 4 1 2 0 3—14
Yankees 3 0 0 2 0 1 0 1—7
Two Base Hits—Monk, Virgin, Gower.

Sacrifice Hits—Wagner, Altman.

Double Play—Bryant to Monk. Hit by Pitcher—Starlin. Struck Out—By Milhuff, 4; by Paxson, 9.
Base on Balls—By Milhuff, 3; by Paxson, 4.
Wild Pitch—Milhuff, 1; Paxson, 1.
Umpire—Ludwick.

Jeffords Fans Thirteen

Jeffords won new laurels in his opening game against the heavy hitting Cardinal team Saturday morning when he fanned thirteen. He was in mid-season form and only yielded four hits. The All Stars batted Mitchell hard and secured a total of 18 clean drives, five of them homers. Cullen played a spectacular game at third for the All Stars and secured two homers and a single in five trips to the plate. The score:

All Stars	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Weber, c	5	1	2	13	3	1
Schuh, ss	5	1	1	0	1	1
Cullen, 3b	5	3	3	4	2	0
Staten, 1b	4	0	0	5	0	0
Moritz, cf	5	2	3	0	0	0
Lewis, rf	4	2	1	0	0	0
Allen, 2b	4	2	2	1	1	0
Davis, lf	5	2	4	1	0	0
Jeffords, p	5	1	2	2	1	0
Totals	42	14	18	27	8	2

Cardinals	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Bronley, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Gilmore, cf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Sayers, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
McCall, lf	2	1	2	1	0	0
Deiotell, rf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Channing, 1b	4	0	0	1	0	0
Tilton, 2b	2	0	0	4	2	0
W. Mitchell, 3b	2	0	0	4	1	0
Bryant, ss	4	0	0	5	3	0
Schor, cf	3	1	1	4	2	0
B. Mitchell, p	2	1	0	1	4	0
Totals	29	3	4	27	12	1

Runners: 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9
All Stars 1 0 0 5 5 0 1 2 0—14
Cardinals 0 0 0 3 0 0 0 0—3
Home Runs—Cullen, 2; Schuh, Moritz, Jeffords.

Three Base Hits—Jeffords, Moritz.

Two Base Hits—Davis, 2. Sacrifice Hits—Lewis, Staten. Wild Pitch—Jeffords. Struck Out—By Jeffords, 13; by Mitchell, 4.
Base on Balls—By Jeffords, 8; by Mitchell, 2.
Umpire—Shoemaker.

Prefers Auto Racing to Life in Trenches



Porporato

Though his sympathies are entirely with the allies, J. Porporato, the Spaniard entered in the next Indianapolis 500-mile race as alternate driver of the Sunbeam team, is not giving his favorites any active assistance. Five-hundred mile racing, with all its faults, has, in his opinion, certain advantages over a bullet riddled trench. He may risk his neck at the wheel of a racing car travelling 110 miles an hour, but dodging shrapnel is a little too much for him. Porporato, incidentally, is some driver, having won the 1908 Targa Bologna, hands down.

Bob Lewis Lands Job

Robert Lewis, of Fourth and Gay streets, has taken a position as a road representative of the Shamrock Manufacturing company of Cincinnati and will look after fourteen Ohio counties for this firm. He will have his headquarters in Portsmouth. The firm makes a high grade brand of chewing gum and a Shamrock mint and Mr. Lewis will take up his new work with much enthusiasm as he feels that he has a splendid proposition.

Walter K. Patterson With Studebaker Co.

Walter K. Patterson, who has been connected with the service department of the Hudson Motor Car company, for several years, has severed his connection with that concern and assumed charge of the Chicago branch of the Studebaker Corporation in the capacity of district supervisor of service, one of the best positions in the gift of the big corporation. Mr. Patterson is an expert with the automobile and the Studebaker Corporation is to be congratulated upon securing his services.

Concerning the acquisition of Mr. Patterson, M. Engelstine, service manager, has the following to say: "Mr. Patterson is one of our most capable representatives, and we can assure you of promptness and courtesy from him at all times." Which shows the Studebaker Corporation is well acquainted with Mr. Patterson's qualifications. It is quite likely that Mr. Patterson will shortly move his family to Chicago. Mrs. Patterson and children are now visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Seel, of this city.

PRETTY COLUMBIA

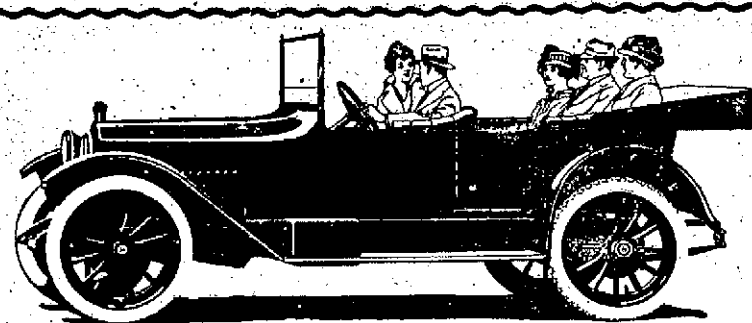
The Columbia theatre, long recognized as one of the prettiest in the state, has certainly had its beauty enhanced by a fresh coat of paint. It is finished in white with the panels done in old rose and the effect is beautiful. With the myriads of lights burning, the Columbia attracted everybody's attention last night. The decorative work was done by Pete Roush and his able assistants.

Grange Growing

The Concord Grange of Wheelersburg at a meeting to be held tonight in Dutiel's hall will initiate a class of six. It was stated Saturday that a series of open meetings is being planned for the summer.

GREAT SCOTT! NOW IT'S AUTOMATIC TYPEWRITER

Friends of Will Adams until recently identified with the Butler Novelty Company, has been made a district manager for the Hoover, Moss and Trenchier Company of Hamilton, and he will have his headquarters in Cincinnati. This firm has placed an automatic typewriter on the market. It is operated with a motor and those who have inspected it are making extravagant claims for it. Mr. Adams says it is operated on the same principle as a piano and he says will revolutionize the typewriting business. The firm has seventeen districts and Mr. Adams has been given one of them. He is recognized as an expert mechanic and will make his new employers a valuable man. The firm has a big plant in Hamilton and expect to place hundreds of their new automatic typewriters on the market. Mr. Adams will retain his present home in South Portsmouth. When Foster & Hills say they will paint your house with white lead and linseed oil you will get that material, not a mixture called white lead and linseed oil. 640 Sixth St. Phone 152. O. D. Foster, 1934 Summit St. O. W. Hills, 624 Eighth St. Phone 1524 Y. adv 21



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Final estimates on the Lincoln street building were allowed and James I. Barnes, who is building the Garfield building on the Gallia pike was allowed an estimate of \$14,800, which swelled the schedule to \$18,500. Permission was granted to the patriotic societies to hold a big meeting in the high school auditorium on Friday evening, May 21. Members Hudson, Nourse and Jackson were present.

SKULL WAS EXPOSED

Falling from a board, which turned with him as he went to reach the deck of Henry Ruel's boat at Front and Scioto streets Saturday morning, George Morford fell a distance of ten feet and suffered a cut on the left side of his forehead that was so deep that the skull was exposed. Dr. Carl Braunlin had to take eight stitches to close the wound.

Morford also suffered a cut below the left eye and two stitches had to be taken to close it.

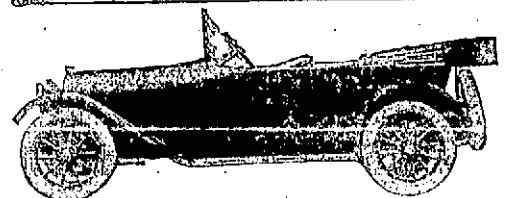
NEARLY DIED ON STREET

Suddenly stricken with heart trouble as he was crossing Sixth and Chillicothe streets at 11 o'clock Saturday morning, Clarence Craycraft, aged 22, of Tygart, Ky., came near dying before he could be given medical attention.

Without warning he sank to the street and lay motionless until pedestrians ran to his assistance. Craycraft was picked up and hurried to a nearby physician's office, where he was revived. He has been in poor health, having been afflicted with pulmonary trouble for some time, he told Officer Theo. Branham, who assisted in taking Craycraft to a doctor's office.

East End Again To Front
The velvet appearance of the lawn in the East End is brought about by the persistent use of garden hose and lawn mowers. Flood & Bluke sell a mower for \$4.00 that can not be beat, and hose for 10c foot guaranteed for two years. Telephone 93. adv

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PEZOLD SENT TO NEW ORLEANS

Cleveland, O., May 15—Manager Jack Knight, of the Cleveland American Association baseball team, today released infielder Larry Pezold, last year with the Cleveland Americans, to New Orleans in the Southern League. This cuts the Cleveland squad to the sixteen player limit. Pezold is now in New Orleans at the bedside of his mother who is ill. He was with the Iron-ton, Ohio State team last year.

TO OPEN RESORT

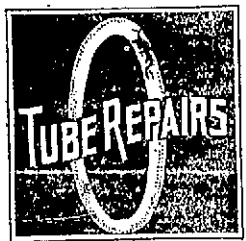
Harrison Price, who has been operating Henry Springs for some seasons past, will again assume charge of that summer resort, June 1st.

GET CLUE TO ROBBERY

The police got a tip Saturday to the whereabouts of several more watches believed to be part of the loot of the recent H. T. Hutton loan office robbery. George Raynor, who had been held as a suspect, was released Saturday morning while Arch Kinable, whose pawing of a watch which Mr. Hutton later identified as one of those stolen from him, led to the present investigation is still in custody.

Mashed His Toesies

Clint Zornes, employed in the plant of the Portsmouth Paving Brick company's plant, had two toes mashed Friday when he dropped a brick on them.



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Warning As To Dump

The city officials have decided to put an end to the practice of some people making a dumping ground of the river front. No longer will they be permitted to throw rubbish, old roofing and other material over the flood wall. The proper place for this is the flood wash-out at the Point.

Candidate For Council

G. W. Vandervoort, president of the Portsmouth Supply and Manufacturing Company, and one of the best known business men of the East End, is a candidate for the Republican nomination for councilman from the Fourth ward. Mr. Vandervoort's petitions are out and are being freely signed.

Complain Of Boys

Complaint was received by the police Saturday morning about boys playing base ball on the lot near the old Excelsior factory building to the annoyance of the residents.

Gun Toter Draws A Fine Of \$200

Thad Chaffin, who was found in the vicinity of the N. & W. depot Friday evening toting a loaded gun, was fined \$200 and costs in police court Saturday but \$175 of the amount was remitted.

L. B. True, who sported a badge and was making a show of himself in public Friday, drew a \$5 fine. William Hardy, whom the court said was the most foul mouthed man he had heard in months, was fined \$10 for drunkenness and disorderly conduct. Herbert Culver's bond of \$10 was

declared forfeited, he failing to appear to a charge of assaulting Myrtle Kiser, of Washington street. The woman was invited to leave town.

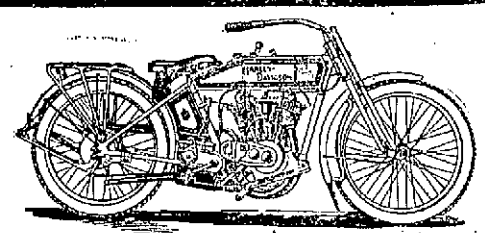
WILL VOTE ON BONDS

Voters of Otway school district will be called upon to vote on June 2nd upon a \$12,000 bond issue to defray the cost of erecting a new combination high school and grade building in Otway. This decision followed a visit to the village by E. D. McCowen, county school superintendent, Friday evening. The sentiment there is strongly in favor of the project, according to the county superintendent, who has made two trips there during the past week at the request of the school board.

In The Fall And Winter

you are very apt to catch cold and develop a cough; be prepared by having a bottle of "Allen's Cough Remedy"—recommended by all who have used it—you will not make a mistake. adv.

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Christian Endeavor at six o'clock.
Evening worship at seven. Sermon, "Who Was He?"

Music for the day as follows:

Organ Prelude—Andantino—Lamar—Miss Anderson.

Quartet, "More Love to Thee, O Christ"—Brewer—Miss Berry.

Mr. Storck, Mr. Schwartz, Mr. Boyd.

Offertory, Pastoral in G Major—Wm. Faulken.

Solo, "Behold the Master Passeth By"—Hammond—Miss Berry.

Evening—

Prelude in G—Read—Miss Anderson.

Quartet, "I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say"—O'Connell—Miss Berry.

Mr. Storck, Mr. Schwartz, Mr. Boyd.

Offertory, "Twilight Melody"—Meale—Miss Anderson.

Solo, "Now the Day is Over"—Speaks—Miss Berry.

Male Quartet—Selected—Mr. Boyd, Mr. Lory, Mr. Schwartz, Mr. Kinney.

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. Geo. P. Horst, of Philadelphia, will occupy the pulpit and will conduct the mid-week service on Wednesday.

Sabbath school at 9 a. m.

Christian Endeavor at 9:15 p. m.

Prayer-meeting Wednesday at 7:15 p. m.

A welcome awaits all who desire to attend any of these services.

The general public is invited to attend the Recital given for the benefit of the "Day Nursery" Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. A silver offering will be taken.

The following is the music for the day:

Morning—

Organ Prelude, Sextet from "Lucia di Lammermoor"—Dunne.

Choir Anthem, "Fear Not, O Israel"—Max Spieker—Soloists: Mrs. Nodder, Mr. Chick, Mr. Huggles.

Offertory, "To Spring, Opus 43"—Edward Grieg.

Vocal Quartet, "Come Gracious Spirit—March—Miss Zeigler, Miss Elliott, Mr. Chick, Mr. Marting.

Postlude, Fantasia in C—Berthold Tours.

Evening—

Organ Prelude, "In the Twilight"—Flaxington Barker.

Choir Anthem, "Teach Me Thy Way"—O. H. Evans.

Offertory, Larghetto (from the Clarinet Quintet)—W. A. Mozart.

Vocal Duet, "Hark! Hark! My Soul—Harry Rowe Shelley—Mrs. Harry Bugh, Mrs. Clarence Nodder.

Postlude, Festival March in F—V. A. Petrall.

CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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Sunday school at 9 a. m.

Preaching service following the Sabbath school.

Music for the day:

Prelude, Nocturno—Mendelssohn.

Offertory, Sonata—Maria—Whiting.

Anthem, "The Cross"—Chas. H. Blount.

Evening—

Sermon by the pastor at 7 o'clock.

Subject, "A True Knight."

Prelude, Spring Song—Bartholdy.

Offertory, Te Deum—C. Delbrück.

Anthem, "Great is the Lord and Marvelous"—Diggle.

Solo, "The Evening is Ended"—Barlett—J. Adam Burkel.

Public cordially invited.

BELOW M. E. CHURCH

A. B. Connell, Pastor.
503 Washington Street.

We anticipate a record-breaking attendance at Sabbath school on Sunday morning at nine o'clock.

Surely no one can find an adequate excuse to offer for not being present such bright, beautiful days as these. Only a few more than we had last Sunday will put the attendance over the five hundred mark. Remember we are depending upon you.

Subject for the morning sermon, "Lamps Without Oil." The great chorus choir, the best in the city, will render some special music. If a stranger in Portsmouth you will find a hearty welcome here.

Evening service at seven o'clock. Good music and an hour well spent in the worship of God. Sermon subject, "Other Waters."

The prayer and praise services on Wednesday evenings are quite well attended, yet there is room for others who should not allow themselves to become habitual neglectors of this most beneficial means of Grace. Though the present pastor has been here the greater part of a year, there are many members of the church, and some of them official members at that, whom he has never as yet seen at the prayer-meeting. "Delivered these things

ought not so to be."

The first Sunday in June will be a special day in Bigelow. At the morning service the Holy Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed and the rite of Holy Baptism will be administered.

Any and all persons who may desire to unite with the church, either by letter or on profession of faith, will be received.

Those having children to be baptized are invited to present them at this time. Kindly notify the pastor of such intention.

TRINITY METHODIST EPISCOPAL

Galla and Chicago Streets.
C. Lloyd Srooker, Pastor.

Sunday school at 9 o'clock. W. B. Anderson, superintendent.

Men's Bible class, J. H. Finney, teacher.

Morning worship at 10:30. Sermon: "The All-Embracing Reign of God." At this service a large class of Probationers will be received into full membership in the church. The rite of baptism will be administered to those members of the class who have not been previously baptized.

Junior League at 2 p. m. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m.

Evening service at 7:30. The third sermon of the special series will be preached in the subject: feature of the evening will be a song by a Children's Chorus from the Junior League. Mrs. Norma Mark Young will sing a soprano solo, and the chorus choir will render an anthem. You are most cordially invited to this evening service. You will find Trinity a Home-like Church. The music for Sunday.

Morning—Organ Prelude in E. Mendelssohn.

Soprano and Contralto Duet, "Holy Hour"—Harvey Rowe Shelley—Miss Roma Mittensohn, soprano; Miss Lena Hopper, contralto.

Offertory, Cantilene Nuptiale—Scholes.

Evening—Organ Prelude, March—Jennings.

Anthem—Magnificent and Nunc Dimittis—Jammouneau.

Soprano solo—Selected—Mrs. Norma Mark Young.

Children's Chorus from Junior League.

FOURTH STREET M. E. CHURCH

Fourth and Washington St.
Rev. Albert L. Marling, Pastor.

Sabbath school at 9:45. Classes for young and old. A healthy increase was noted last Sabbath, due to the lively competition among the classes. Keep it up. This is the home of the popular Everyman's Bible class.

Morning worship at 10. The sermon on the Book of Revelation will be continued in this service. Subject, "The Beast of Revelation." All should hear it.

At 7 o'clock the Epworth League will celebrate its anniversary with a special program. Good music. Interesting surprise features. Come and see. Everyone invited to attend.

MARLY M. E. CHURCH

Corner Eleventh and Clay
W. T. Gilliland, Pastor.

Sunday school at 9 o'clock. Philip Pfarr, superintendent.

Morning worship at 10:30. Sermon by the pastor.

Epworth League Devotional services at 6:30. Miss Raa Kirk, leader. Topic, "Epworth League Anniversary."

Evening services at 7:30, with sermon by the pastor. Everybody welcome to all our services.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Galla and Waller Streets
T. H. McKelzie, Pastor.

The Bible school will meet at 9 a. m. James Yeley, superintendent.

We expect to pass the 300 mark by 75 in our school. The Men's class will be taught by the pastor. The Jr. B. Y. P. U. will meet at 2 p. m. The Sr. B. Y. P. U. will meet at 6:15 p. m. The pastor will be Miss Hazel Eckhart. The pastor will preach both sermons. In the morning the sermon will be "The Middle-Aged Man." If you wish to know how to get out of a hard place, come and get this message. In the evening the subject will be "Nations and Men Are Paying the Price." In this message the present war and the famous Leo Frank case will be touched upon. You will spend a profitable time if you put it in at the First Baptist church. The singing is always good and you can understand what the choir sings. The preaching can be understood by anyone. You are welcome.

MUTCHINS STREET BAPTIST

Bible school at 9 a. m. with a short temperance program by the children. Morning worship at 10:15. The subject of the pastor's sermon will be "Advancement in the Christian Life." Special music.

Juniors will meet at 1:30 to practice for the Children's Day exercises. B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 and evening worship at 7:30. Subject, "What Must I Do to Be Saved?" A special welcome is given to strangers at all our services.

KENDALL AVENUE BAPTIST

Sunday school at 9, John Buckle, superintendent.

Every member of the school is asked to be present tomorrow. Report of delegates to the district convention at Trion will be given. We are sure you will be glad to hear of the work in other schools of the district.

Preaching services at 7 by Mr. Yangorfer, who will speak on the subject, "Housed With the Master." This service will be evangelistic. You will be benefited by being present.

Public cordially invited.

NEW BOSTON BAPTIST

Morris Bridwell, Pastor.

Sunday school at 9 o'clock.

Mother's Day will be observed next Sunday morning, and at 9:45 the following program will be rendered:

Doxology.

Invocation.

Responsive Reading.

Recitation, "The Modern Woodmen's Mothers' Day" by Edith Rume.

Singing, "Mother's Hymn."

Recitation, "Mother's Day," Beulah Jenkins.

Singing, "Meet Mother in the Skies," the mothers.

Recitation, "Father's Day," Estlin Cameron.

Duet, "My Mother's Bible," Mr. and Mrs. Orla Burham.

Recitation, "Before It Is Too Late," Myrtle Thomas.

Singing, Choir and congregation.

Recitation, "To Mother," Olive Chinn.

Duet, "Can a Boy Forget His Mother's Prayer."

Recitation, "A Dutiful Son," Grace Wells.

Singing, "The Hymns that Mother and Son," Choir and congregation.

Recitation, "My Mother Believed in Me," Jake Henson.

Offering.

Announcements.

Address.

Singing, "Home Sweet Home," Choir and congregation.

Benediction.

The Modern Woodmen are invited to attend in a body. Special seats reserved for the fathers and mothers.

WHEELERSBURG BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday school at 9 a. m. Erie Dedit, superintendent.

Our school showed a nice increase in attendance last Sunday. Let us see if we cannot do better tomorrow.

Preaching at 1:30 p. m. by Mr. Yangorfer. Subject, "The Types of Christ in the Life of Joseph." Come and hear these splendid types unfolded. It will give you a new vision of the Old Testament.

Public cordially invited.

ALL SAINTS CHURCH

Corner Fourth and Court Sts.
Rev. E. August Powell, Pastor.

Sunday after Ascension Day—Expectation Sunday.

Holy Communion at 7 a. m.

Sunday school at 9 a. m.

Brotherhood Bible Class for men at 9 a. m.

Morning prayer and sermon at 10:30 a. m.

Subject of address at morning service, "The Purposes of Our Lord's Ascension."

Evangelistic address at evening: All seats are free and everybody receives a hearty welcome at All Saints' church. Vested choir will repeat Ascension Day music. Come and bring your friends with you.

The Brotherhood Bible Class will study Lesson No. 20, "Overcoming Obstacles." Scripture section, Joshua, chapters 1 to 4.

UNITED BRETHREN

Corner Gay and Seventh Streets
L. J. Roper, Pastor.

Mr. L. D. Thompson, the superintendent, wishes to greet at least 300 at Sunday school at 9 a. m.

The morning worship at 10:15. Subject, "God's Challenge." This sermon is especially for church members.

Junior Endeavor at 2 p. m.

Christian Endeavor at 6 o'clock. Topic, "Why I Believe in Christian Endeavor." Leaders, The Juniors.

Preaching at 7 o'clock. Subject, "The Call of the Hills."

Everybody invited. All who come will be given a cordial greeting.

Music for the day:

Morning—

Chant.

Anthem, "O Come Let Us Sing"—McNeil.

Offertory, "Confidence"—E. L. Ashford—Mrs. Niswonger.

Solo, "Just For Today"—Jerome—Miss Seaf.

Evening—

Anthem, "The Lord Is My Light"—Prior.

Offertory, "The Shepherd's Pipe"—E. L. Ashford—Mrs. Niswonger.

GERMAN EVANGELICAL

Fifth and Washington
A. Lindemeyer, Pastor.

English Sunday school at 8:45. Wm. Hazlebeck, superintendent.

Morning worship at 10:30, one-half hour later than usual. This service will be attended by the Knights of Pythias. Subject of pastor's sermon, "True Friendship."

Evangelical League at 6:15.

Evening worship at 7 o'clock. Subject of sermon, "The Upward Look."

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST-SCIENTIST

520 Second Street

Services are held Sunday morning at 10:30.

Sunday school at 9 a. m. Wednesday evening testimonial meeting at 7:30 p. m. Lesson-sermon: Subject, "Mortals and Immortals." Golden text: Proverbs 9:1: "Forsake the foolish and live; and go in the way of understanding." We maintain a free circulating library here, where all authorized Christian Science literature may be read or borrowed on the same plan as the public library. We also have this literature for sale. All are welcome to attend these services, or to use the reading room.

NEW BOSTON CHRISTIAN

J. O. Harris, superintendent, will have charge of the Sunday school services at the regular hour, nine o'clock. Everybody should be there on time. We only had 116 in attendance last Sunday, so get to work. Don't forget yourself, and bring a new scholar, or one who has not been coming. Revive your interest in the Bible work, as well as among others. There should be not less than 125 here Sunday.

Communion service after Sabbath school.

Isaac Palmer, of Sciotoville, will have charge of the evening services at the usual hour, 7:30 o'clock.

Everybody invited to all these services.

SOUTH PORTSMOUTH

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Bible school at 9:30 a. m.

Communion service at 11 a. m.

Evening service at 7:30. Walter Bogy in charge.

Everybody invited to all these services.

PLEASANT GREEN BAPTIST

Tenth and Findlay
Rev. W. P. Chapman

Sunday school at 9 a. m. Mrs. Mary E. Cronshaw, superintendent. The added Sunday school helps this year have done much to help us build up a strong Sunday school, where the truths of the Bible are made plain. Do you attend?

Morning worship at 10:30. Subject, "The True In Heart."

Annual sermon at 2:30 p. m. Harmon Lodge No. 33, K. of P.'s will assemble at this hour and have their annual sermon preached by the pastor.

B. Y. P. U. at 7 p. m. Subject, "The Bible the World's Supreme Book"—Deut. 6:1-9.

Evening worship at 8 p. m. Subject, "Who Is On the Lord's Side?"

Our doors are open to the public, inviting everybody and making all welcome.

ALLEN CHAPEL A. M. E. CHURCH

Seventh Street
John Irwin, Pastor.

9 a. m. Sunday school. Mr. Louis Minor, superintendent. Mr. Fred Minor, leader of orchestra. Good music and singing is one of the features of our school and we hope to have every one come on time and get the full benefit of these important lessons this quarter.

10:30, sharp, preaching by the pastor; 11:00, class meeting. You can't afford to absent yourself.

7:30, preaching by the pastor and reception of members. Next Sunday is rally day. Every debt of the church must be lifted. A full statement will be made of all indebtedness and we are depending upon everyone who subscribed to answer when their names are called. Further notice will be given. If we leave the church, let us prove it by deeds, not words.

Wednesday night prayer-meeting. Mr. Thomas Shide leader. We have never dropped as low as this. We are looking for the members to hold the standard high.

Architects

In The City

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pretzinger, of Dayton, motored to this city Friday. Mr. Pretzinger attended the meeting of the school board Friday night. He prepared the plans for the new \$325,000 school building here and the Lincoln school building on the Hilltop.

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Summer Home

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Herms will occupy a cottage on the Miami river, near Cincinnati, this summer, they having already moved to the cottage. Mr. Herms travels for a Cincinnati drygoods house.

Has Turned Gardener

Fred Baesman, the safety department clerk, has turned gardener. He is tilling all of the vacant space back of the city building and will similarly utilize the space created by the razing of an old shed at the rear of the George O. Newman home. He has some fine lettuce beds and bean patch.

E. L. ANNIVERSARY

All over the world Sunday the various Epworth Leagues of the Methodist church will unite in commemorating the 25th anniversary of the founding of the organization. A special program will be used in many of the churches and many of the pastors will refer to the occasion in their sermons.

SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Lesson VII.—Second Quarter, For May 16, 1915.

THE INTERNATIONAL SERIES.

Text of the Lesson, I Sam. xxvi, 5-15; Memory Verses, 11, 12—Golden Text, Luke vi, 27—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

The lesson today is a record of one of the occasions on which David had Saul completely at his mercy, but he refused to lay hands upon him or to slay him on the suggestion of Abiathar the priest. "As the Lord liveth, the Lord shall smite him, or his day shall come to die, or he shall descend into battle and perish" (verses 9, 10). Thus David left the matter wholly in the hands of the Lord, illustrating his own words, "Commit thy way unto the Lord; trust also in Him, and He shall bring it to pass" (Ps. xxxvii, 6). I Sam. xxxi tells how his end came.

On this occasion David took the spear and the crease of water from Saul's bolster that he might show him how he had him in his power, but did not harm him. David was able to do this without anyone knowing it because a deep sleep from the Lord was fallen upon Saul and his men (verses 11, 12). Compare Gen. ii, 21; xv, 12, and consider Peter's release from prison, though he was bound with chains between two soldiers, and there was a guard at the door of the prison (Acts xii, 6-10, 18, 19). Truly the God of Israel is the God that doest wonders (I Sa. ix, 18; lxxvii, 14). David, with his trophies, stood on the top of a hill afar off and cried to Abner that, though he was a vassal man, he was worthy to die because he had failed to take care of the king, and he told him to look for the king's spear and crease of water that had been by his bolster (verses 12-15). Saul knew David's voice and protested to be very grateful to him for sparing his life, asking him to return to him, and saying that he would no more seek to do him harm, but David knew his enemy too well, and after telling him to send for his spear, they again parted, each going his own way (verses 17-20). This was not the first time that David

DRYS PREPARE FOR SCIOTO COUNTY FIGHT

That the State Anti-Saloon League expects to put up a strong fight in an effort to place Ohio in the Prohibition class this fall, is shown by the fact that two of the foremost representatives of the organization will arrive here Wednesday to meet with the officers of the Scioto County Anti-Saloon League, to prepare for a tour of Scioto county at a near date.

The representatives of the state organization are Messrs. Hall and Summers.

They form a great team for the anti and they are expected to make a whirlwind campaign throughout the county districts, beginning next Thursday. They believe the time is now right to start their campaign along educational lines, and they believe they have some interesting data concerning their side of the question.

Messrs. Hall and Summers, while being assigned to work in the county districts, have been prevailed upon to put on a dialogue debate in this city, the same to be held on the afternoon of Sunday, May 23, at Trinity Methodist church. This dialogue is said to be quite interesting, being chock full of wit as well as logical argument from a dry standpoint. The question for the debate will be "Tom O'Neil and the License Commission."

Messrs. Hall and Summers have been in practically all the big temperance fights throughout the United States. They were the leaders for the Anti-Saloon League forces in the Colorado fight, this state voting dry. They were also in the forefront in the fight in Michigan, which resulted in most of the northern counties voting dry.

The itinerary for Messrs. Hall and Summers in Scioto county is as follows:

Wednesday night, May 10—Dialogue debate at McDermott.

Schedule for West Side
Thursday, May 20 leave Portsmouth 7 a. m., arrive at Buena Vista 8 a. m. Conference one hour. Leave Buena Vista 9 a. m., arrive McGaw 9:15 a. m. Conference 45 minutes. Leave McGaw 10 a. m., arrive Pond Run 10:30 a. m. Conference one hour; dinner at 10:30 a. m. Leave Pond Run 1:30 p. m., arrive at Friendship 2 p. m. Conference one hour at Friendship. Leave Friendship at 4 p. m.

Schedule for East Side
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Conference at Fairview at 1 p. m. Leave Fairview at 2 p. m. for Church, near Wm. Butler's. Conference there at 2:30 p. m. for one hour. Leave at 3:30 p. m. for Harrisonville. Arrive at 4 p. m. Conference at 4 p. m. at Harrisonville. Supper at Harrisonville. Leave Harrisonville at 4:45 a. m. Arrive at Sunshine school house at 5 p. m.

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Saturday, May 22. Leave Portsmouth Saturday at 7 a. m. Arrive at McDermott at 7:45 a. m. Conference one hour. Leave McDermott at 9 a. m. Arrive at Frank Rieky, Duck Run, at 9:20 a. m. Conference at 10 a. m. Leave at 10 a. m. for Gus Massie, Rushtown. Arrive at 10:15 a. m. conference to 11 a. m. Go to Lucasville for dinner. Leave Lucasville at 12:15 for Mt. Joy. Arrive at Mt. Joy at 1 p. m. Conference one hour. Leave Mt. Joy at 2 p. m. for Sedan. Arrive at Sedan at 2:20 p. m. Conference one hour. Leave Sedan at 3:30 a. m. Conference 45 minutes. Leave Bear Creek for Portsmouth at 4:45. Evening in Portsmouth.

SEE HOW MANY OF THESE WORDS YOU CAN SPELL; WERE GIVEN IN TEST

One hundred pupils of the grade schools of Scioto county, Portsmouth excepted, entered in the county spelling bee held at the high school building this afternoon at 12:30 o'clock, following the county school commencement.

One hundred words were pronounced to the contestants, who wrote the words on paper and later submitted their work to the district superintendent for grading. Five citizens of Portsmouth, Vallee Harold, J. E. Cross, W. A. Inman, J. H. Finney, and Dr. E. C. Jackson, pronounced twenty words each.

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The hundred words in the contest were: gingham, honor, fes-

tival, alien, siege, maulage, utensil, scenery, salad, camphor, yacht, anchor, firkin, bluing, cleanse, gambol, poultrie, annual, privilege, vicinity, Carribbean, Mediterranean, warrior, any, grammar, judgment Great Britain, captain, millionaire, facility, exceed, commendable, veracity, garage, restaurant, opaque, pharmacy, preferable, sealene, prophesy, persimmon, negligent, subterranean, parallel, angle, legible, miscellaneous, disciple, censure, reputable, vacuum, fascinate, imaginary, neighbor, conscious, mutual, gauge, malice, shrewd, scythe, cymbal, quotient, outfit, raisin, malign, impede, mackerel, cambria, llama, tapir, icicle, precede, mimic, axle, certain, serene, valise, augur, palatial, fulfill, visitor, milliner, liehen, luscious, prairie, fertile, pigeon, crucial, raspberry, decimal, chandelier, divisible, ptarmigan, narcissus, indelible, delectable, malleable, tangible, paraffin, diocesan.

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Farmers of this place are hoping to raise wonderful crops this year. We wish them much success.

Mr. Harold Andre, of Lyra, attends church at Union every Sunday night. Looking for a girl, Harold? She will come along some sweet day.

Mrs. Sarah Lewis was calling on Mrs. Charles Morgan Wednesday.

Miss Nell Chamberlain was calling on Emma Lewis Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Fred Miller and family spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Mary Pignet.

Mr. Karl Milliron of South Webster and Miss Nell Chamberlain, of Wheelersburg, have announced their wedding for June. Rev. Fisher will perform the ceremony.

Mrs. Ella Ashley and son, Choll, spent Tuesday with Mrs. Walter McFann.

We had fine rain here Wednesday.

Mrs. Barnhouse, the Baptist statesecretary, gave a splendid talk Sunday morning at Bethany church, which was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Rev. Holmes also gave a fine talk on Sunday school work Sunday evening.

Mrs. Isabelle McDaniel, of Portsmouth, is visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. McDaniel.

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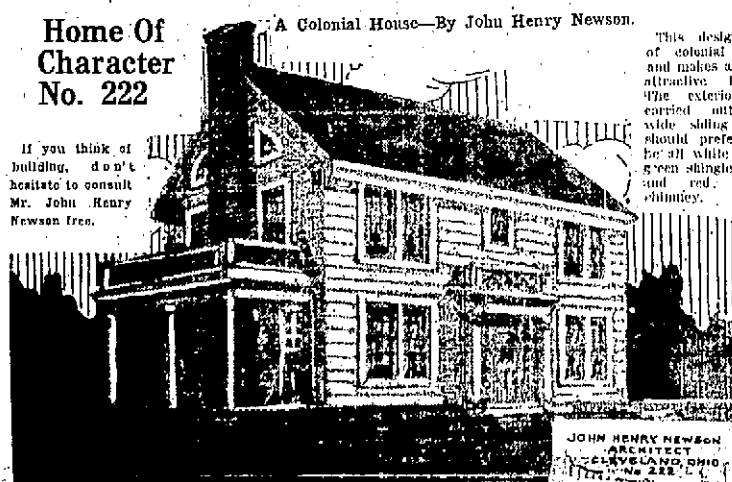
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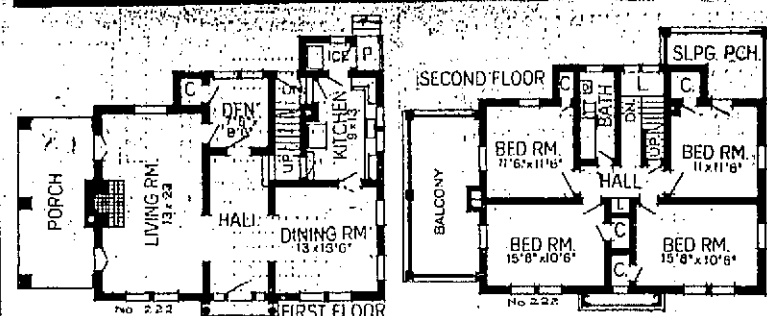
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Claims Billy Sunday Wrecked His Home Walls Marred, Piano Stool Is Abused Many Articles Missing, Is Charged

The New York World has the following article concerning what is alleged to have happened to the house Billy Sunday and his party rented while in Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, May 15.—A bill for \$1,754 in damages—among the items being smashed: furniture, broken china, smashed glassware and damaged bric-a-brac—has been prepared by Col. Charles M. Keegan, owner of the house at No. 1914 Spring Garden street, which was used as a home by Billy Sunday and his party during their recent revival in this city.

"I'm going to present this bill to the Sunday Campaign Committee and if they don't pay it I'm going to bring suit," said the Colonel today. The committee was the organization that had charge of Billy's temporal affairs here. Its members know about the bill and say they are not going to pay it, because it is too high.

The temporary Sunday residence was overrun almost every day and night with delegations of visitors from local churches and from other cities, which may explain some of the alleged damages.

Whiskey Glasses Unwrapped.

Col. Keegan's bill is a very interesting document, filling five typewritten pages. One of the first things he complains about is that more than 100 glasses disappeared while Sunday's party occupied his house. He asserts that twenty whiskey glasses which he had never taken from their original wrappings were found, after a search, unwrapped, in a telephone closet on the first floor.

Walls were gouged, he asserts. Six doors were off their hinges, and the Colonel charges the modest sum of \$4.40 for rehanging them. Another item in his bill is for carting off three loads of rubbish, which he says the revivalists left behind.

A five-foot jardiniere in the drawing room was broken and putched together, he says, in the occupancy of the temporary tenants. Some one broke a leg off a heavy leather chair in the room Billy himself occupied.

Heavy on the Piano Stool
The piano stool was smashed

and the marble top of a table in a room on the first floor was cracked.

Then a good many things are missing, it is asserted. Among these is a marble dog, which graced the Keegan reception room, the big toe of a statue of a girl also in the reception room, a silver-plated syrup jug and much bed clothing.

Col. Keegan refused to confirm a report that several bottles of gin and whiskey he had left in a padlocked trunk in the cellar were empty and the lock broken when he took possession of the house again.

Burns, presumably made by cigars or cigarettes, were found on the ivory keys and mahogany sides of a piano.

A Catalogue of Missing Things
Here is a list of the claims in part:

Missing: Two sets Haviland china, six oil paintings, nine bath towels, three table covers, ten napkins, thirteen pillow cases, seven sheets, eighteen beer glasses, forty engraved water glasses, twenty-six whiskey glasses, ten lock glasses, five cordial glasses, six creme de menthe glasses, four champagne glasses, nine fancy steins, one wicker arm chair, five embroidered scarfs, three silk curtains, one Turkish rug, five books, one silver-plated syrup jug, one marble dog, one shade on front door.

The broken things include:

One jardiniere, five armchairs, one mahogany chair, one large leather chair, one French plush chair, one corner lounge, one piano stool, one marble top table.

In the party that stayed at the Sunday home were: "Billy" and Mrs. Sunday, Homer A. Rodehaver, the choir leader; Miss Grace Bax, Bentley C. Ackley, Sunday's secretary; Miss Frances Miller, Jack Cardiff, Sunday's trainer; George Sunday, Mrs. George Sunday, George Sunday, Jr., and Mrs. Mary Schuler, the housekeeper Sunday brought on from the West.

Much Scrubbing Afterward

The housekeeping was not scrupulous, say persons who went to clean the house. Col. Keegan has put in a charge for employing three women and two men for three days to straighten things out after the Sundays departed. They found letters, excelsior, newspapers and wrapping paper under the beds. The letters, which were mentioned in March, bore dates in January and February, so it is supposed they lay under the beds a long time.

Seats were out of almost thirty chairs by the time the Sunday party left. There were burned holes on expensive bureaus and one bedspread showed the mark of a hot iron. Col. Keegan's list of charges includes new paper in the reception room and the room Billy occupied.

Stained glass in the front door was cracked and a new stair carpet was worn threadbare, it is alleged.

That Cough of Yours

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Florida

The thirteenth biennial report of the commissioner of agriculture states that in the winter 1913-1914 Palm Beach county had 1,633 acres in tomatoes with a value of \$2,265,618, an average of more than \$1,385 per acre; 911 acres in beans, value \$756,450, an average of \$830.00 per acre. For information on winter vegetables and citrus fruit land in Palm Beach county write or call E. F. Moss at 833 Second Street, Phone 553, Portsmouth, O.

Backers of Billy To Fight The Bill

Three members of Billy Sunday's Philadelphia Campaign Committee—Joseph M. Steele, the President; Ben T. Welch, the Chairman; and George C. Shantz—visited the revivalist in Paterson, N. J., yesterday, presumably to talk about the bill prepared against them in the Quaker City.

"It hasn't actually been filed yet," said Mr. Welch, "but if it is the amount reported we'll fight it. We rented that house on Spring Garden street at \$100 a week for eleven weeks, which is a pretty good price to pay, and now it's

Col. Keegan is trying to play us for 'good things,' or is looking for newspaper notoriety."

Ma Sunday was very indignant. "It's a frame-up!" she exclaimed.

Billy was informed about the bill just before last night's service in his inebriate. He didn't seem at all worried. He had no need to worry, for the Philadelphia Campaign Committee had obligated itself to pay all bills before he started his revival there.

"Nothing to it, boys," he said to reporters. "I won't discuss it."

Grange Hall May Be Built For Fair; Premiums Increased

Various improvements that will insure a bigger and more enjoyable fair this year were decided upon at the semi-monthly meeting of the directors of the Seio County Agricultural Society, held at Lucasville, Friday afternoon. Still other proposed improvements will be taken up at the next meeting, to be held two weeks hence.

Only a few of the heads of the departments were ready to report on the preliminary list, and this matter was left in its entirety until the next meeting. Directors stated after the meeting, however, that the premiums in practically every class will be substantially increased this year.

Among the improvements definitely decided upon Friday were: Breeding of large water tank, containing 500 barrels, close to the stables; and the removal of the water trough from the vicinity of the large well; construction of a fill near the inside of the entrance to the grounds to do away with a big ditch there; erection of an artistic archway over the main entrance, with a gate for entrance and a gate for exit, the works "Seio County Fair" to be painted over the top; purchase of a new gas engine for the main well and the opening up of two other wells for drinking water purposes; erection of new ticket office, at main entrance, and two

turnstiles and a platform along the railroad tracks; repair of the fence around the grounds; new barns for horses, and new roofs on old buildings.

Among the suggestions that were held over to the next meeting were: Rest room for ladies on the grounds; erection of a grange building on the grounds; the building of a new agricultural hall; and the installation of a large dining room for the accommodation of the fair visitors.

A committee from the Lucasville Grange met with the board, and agreed to furnish the labor to build the grange hall if the directors would furnish the material. Vice President Clyde Brant, who presided in the absence of the president, appointed Dr. J. N. Thomas, A. S. Miller, and Arthur Moulton as a committee to meet with the grange committee to discuss the matter and report back to the fair board.

If the building is erected, it will be used as a grange hall all the year around, and during the fair could be converted into an agricultural hall or a ladies' rest room.

Every meeting of the board from now on will be an important one, as the directors are eager to have everything in apple-pie order on the opening day of the fair.

ENTERTAIN UTOPIANS

The Utopian Club was entertained recently at the home of Miss Blanche Wilson, on Eleventh street, complimentary to Miss Jeannette Carr, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. Cora Haley. Piano music and games were indulged in until a late hour, when refreshments were served. Miss Carr leaves in a few days for her home in Columbus.

Rev. Horst Will Preach

Every member of the Second Presbyterian congregation is urged to be present at the church services Sunday morning, May 16, when Rev. Geo. P. Horst, of Philadelphia, will occupy the pulpit.

Was In Spellin' Bee

W. H. Aleorn and family, of Buena Vista, came to Portsmouth Saturday to attend the county school commencement and spelling bee. A daughter, Miss Collette, was entered in the spelling bee. Another daughter, Merle Aleorn, will spend Sunday in this city as guest of Miss Angela Switalski, of Third street.

POLITICAL NOTICES

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Officer William Osborn has been selected by Chief W. T. McCarty for the special duty of patrolling West Eleventh street, or the former Red Light district, in a determined effort to clear that region of all undesirables.

Albert M. Reiser, contractor of plastering and cement, has moved from Prospect street to 1735 Off-nere. Phone 1272-X. 11-5t

"Let Me Out" Is Plea

Charles "Dene" Spalding has written another appeal for his release from the Cincinnati workhouse. The request will probably be favorably considered.

Sun Man Leaves

Val Lee, stage manager at the Sun Theatre, bade his many friends good bye Saturday, as he will take his departure early Sunday morning for Springfield, where he will become sales manager for The L. and L. Auto Accessory Company. Mr. and Mrs. Fitzhugh Lee and Mrs. Val Lee and son Robert E. Lee, will remain here during the summer months.

Beck Likes Army Life

Mrs. John Beck, 1124 Front street, received a letter Friday from her son, Ulysses Beck, who is in the United States Army, in Battery C, light field artillery stationed at Fort Sill, Oklahoma. Young Beck was under at the Sun theatre until he enlisted in January. He will get to come home on a furlough next January. Beck writes that he likes army life.

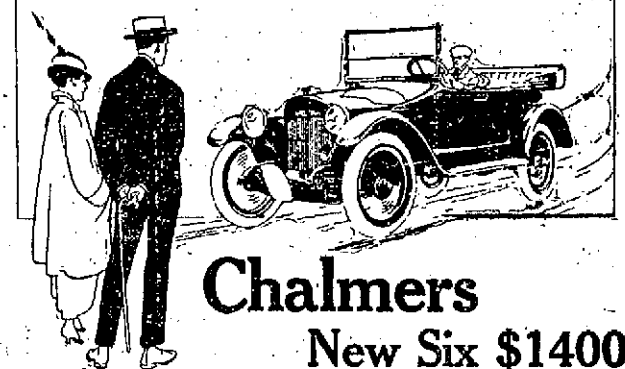
Work Delayed

The John H. McElwain Company has decided to await the completion of the new bottom of the reservoir before installing a surge tank at the new pumping station. The installation of the tank will require the closing down of the pumps for about twenty-four hours.

Must Move Cottage

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ST. JOHN'S DAY MAY 26

Members of Aurora Lodge, No. 48, F. & A. M., will observe St. John's Day this year on Sunday, June 26th, by attending the morning services at Bigelow M. E. church in a body. Rev. A. R. Connell, the pastor, will preach a sermon appropriate to the occasion, while the choir of the church will furnish a special musical program. St. John's Day falls on Friday, June 24th, and the observance will be held on the following Sunday.

The Fellowship degree will be conferred upon a class of candidates at a special meeting Thursday evening, May 20th.

WAVERLY ALUMNI BANQUET JUNE 4

Graduates of the Waverly High School residing in this city have received invitations to the annual banquet of the High School alumni, which will be held at the Art Hall in the Fair Grounds on Friday evening, June 4th. The officers of the Association are E. P. P. Smith, President; Marie E. Sohn, Secretary, and Lloyd P. Gehres, Treasurer.

Dr. J. M. Brooke, of Second street, went to Rarden on a professional visit Saturday.

CIGARETTES BURN RUG

A young couple with the street fair company was the subject of a complaint registered with the police by Frank Goltz, Friday night. He reported that in carelessly throwing away cigarette stumps they had burned and damaged a rug in his home on Second street, where they had been rooming this week. The young man finally settled matters satisfactorily with Mr. Goltz.

Bills Hurt

Billie, young son of Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Young, of Sixth street, is nursing a painful wound on his forehead, which he received in a fall a few days ago. His head struck the sharp edge of a brick in the pavement, inflicting an ugly gash on his forehead.

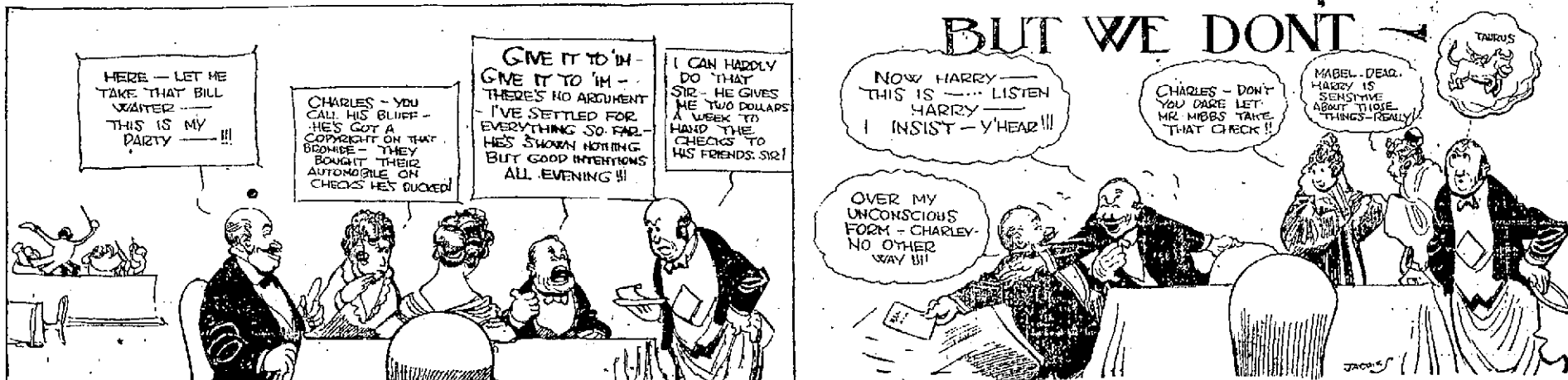
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Keep her locks youthful, dark, glossy and thick with common garden Sage and Sulphur.

When you darken your hair with Sage and Sulphur, you can tell, because it's done so naturally, so evenly. Preparing this mixture, though, at home is messy and troublesome. For 50 cents you can buy at any drug store the ready-to-use tonic called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound." You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it, and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. By morning all gray hair disappears, and after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully darkened, glossy and luxuriant. You will also discover dandruff is gone and hair has stopped falling. Gray, faded hair, though no longer a sign of old age, and as we all desire a youthful and attractive appearance, get busy at once with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur and look years younger.

IF WE SAID WHAT WE THOUGHT

BUT WE DON'T



HERE—LET ME TAKE THAT BILL WALTER—THIS IS MY PARTY—!!

CHARLES—YOU CALL HIS BLUFF—HE'S GOT A COPYRIGHT ON THAT BEHIND—THEY BOUGHT THEIR AUTOMOBILE ON CHECKS HE'S RUINED!

GIVE IT TO 'IM—THERE'S NO ARGUMENT—I'VE SETTLED FOR EVERYTHING SO FAR—HE'S SHOWN NOTHING BUT GOOD INTENTIONS ALL EVENING!!

I CAN HARDLY DO THAT—SIR—HE GIVES ME TWO DOLLARS A WEEK TO HAND THE CHECKS TO HIS FRIENDS—SIR!

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OVER MY UNCONSCIOUS FORM—CHARLEY—NO OTHER WAY!!

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MABEL—DEAR HARRY IS SENSITIVE ABOUT THOSE THINGS—REALLY!!





Miss Dolly Wise

She is here to answer any and all questions concerning love, matrimony, friends, foes, etiquette, etc. Inquiries should be addressed to Miss Dolly Wise care The Daily Times, Portsmouth, O. Office Phone 66. Residence A-998.

Dear Miss Dolly.—Would you advise a girl 18 and a boy of 19 to marry? My fiancé does not make very much now but he has prospects of much advancement in the near future. We would not be able to go to housekeeping right away, but could board until we saved enough to buy furniture.

LILY.

I cannot advise you to marry, Lily. You and your boy lover might think you can pull together, but you can't—not in this day and age, when it cost so much to live. It will be time enough to think of marrying when he is earning a comfortable salary and has enough money saved to furnish a house comfortably. Really if you want to make a success of married life and be happy, please wait a few years.

Dear Dolly.—I have a very dear friend whom I wouldn't cause any trouble or unhappiness for the world. I am as nice to him as I can be. But he seems to think I am false. Please tell me what I can do to gain his confidence.

BILEEN.

I wouldn't bother about him if I were you. If he can't trust you now he never will.

Dear Dolly.—Please tell me what is good for saw hogs. They are about to ruin my garden. They get down under the ground and bare holes under everything.

OPPERE STREET LADY.

If any of my readers know what will destroy these hogs please notify this department so the good lady can save her garden.

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No. 1276. Size.....Age (for child).....
Name.....
Street and Number.....
City.....State.....

Dear Dolly.—What would you suggest I call a boy whom I am very friendly with? I dislike his first name, Charles, and don't know what to call him.

LUCY.

If you know him very well and he doesn't object you might call him Chad, or Chuck.

Dear Miss Wise.—I have been going with a fellow for about four months. He tells me about his other girl friends, and says he goes to see a girl every night, but he doesn't want me to go with any one else. I think I am his best girl now, for he comes to see me on Wednesday and Sunday nights. He is afraid to take me any place in a crowd, for fear one of those girls will see him with another girl, although he told me he likes me the best. He has disappointed me three times, but always comes back and if anything makes me mad it's to be disappointed. Dolly, do you really think this fellow cares more for me than any of those other girls, or do you think he tells them the same thing? Do you think if we should marry he would still go to see those other girls? I could go with other boys, but I don't care to, as the one I was going with when I met this fellow doesn't work very much and never dresses well, while the other does. Dolly, do you think that he will go to see one of those other girls on Wednesday and Sunday nights later on? Now Dolly what I want to know is which fellow would you go with, the one who would go with you, and dresses well, or the other who doesn't? I was engaged to the other but have put it off. We have been going together off and on for two years. Would you marry this fellow or keep on going with the other?

YOUNG LADY.

If you marry at all, better choose the one who can make you the best living. However, I do not think he intends to pop the question, when he is ashamed to be seen with you in public. A man will do pretty much the same after he is married as he does before. The wedding ceremony does not change one's habits.

Dear Dolly.—How far is it to Oklahoma City, and also to Wichita, Kansas? Please give me the name of a railroad running to these cities.

M. K. T.

To Wichita take the C. & O. N. & W. to Chicago, then take the Santa Fe to Wichita. To Oklahoma City take the C. & O. or N. & W. to Cincinnati, then the Big Four to St. Louis and from there take the Frisco to Oklahoma. The shortest route to Oklahoma via Cincinnati, St. Louis and Kansas City, is 996 miles, and the distance to Oklahoma City is 944 miles. The distance via Chicago, which is the better way, is about 1,000 miles.

Dear Dolly.—How many friends should a boy have?

LENA.

It is foolish for a girl to spend time with boys who do not interest her. If she feels that she is gaining something from a boy's friendship it is a valuable thing to have, and a number of such friends is not too many.

Dear Miss Wise.—I have a very dear boy friend, he is dark complexioned. I am light complexioned. Please tell me what to tell him to use to make him white.

MARY STELLA.

Paint or white wash will make him white.

Dear Dolly.—Kindly give me a remedy for thin, falling hair. I am also troubled with dandruff.

R. R.

I'm told that dog soap is very good for the hair, but of course have never tried it. Rub coconut butter into the hair twice a week, massaging the scalp carefully with the finger tips each time. Wash the hair about every two weeks, using a solution of borax and sage tea—two ounces of the first and a half pint of the latter, diluted with water.

SOCIETY

Miss Laura Miller, of Columbus, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John T. Miller, of Fourth street. Miss Miller has practically recovered from a delicate surgical operation, which was performed in Columbus by Drs. Fred Fletcher and Joseph Williamson. Miss Miller expects to return shortly to the Capital City and resume her work as trained nurse.

Will McGraw, of Blue Creek, who has been the guest of his sister, Mrs. John Beck, of Front street, returned to his home Friday.

Miss Ethel Chapman, of Mill street, will be the Sunday guest of Miss Edna Galloway, of South Portsmouth.

Miss Inez Chapman, of Mill street, will be the Sunday guest of her cousin, Miss Ada Chapman, of the Chillicothe place.

William Chapman, son Oscar and daughter, Ada, of Rocky Fork, O., are guests of local relatives on Front street this week.

Mrs. A. M. Turner, Mrs. J. P. Turner, Mrs. K. N. Nuge and Mrs. J. W. Hutchens, of Seletovilla, attended the class play at the high school Friday evening.

Among the social whirls given yesterday for the benefit of the Fresh Air Camp was one at the home of Mrs. James A. Hager, who was assisted by Mrs. William K. Burke. Among the guests were Mesdames G. D. Selby, Thos. Russell, Frank Revare, A. S. Dugan, Albert Herms, Hattie Russell, Sarah Little, who will give a whirl on the next round. Mesdames Merle Duden, Joseph Switalski, George Small and Miss Lon Conrad who paid their dime and also paid a dollar and the guests who will entertain on the last round are Mesdames Louis Weiss, Floyd Fuller, Howard Moore, Geo. W. Trimes, Evan Vandervort, P. L. Johnson, John Oakes, Misses Gora Rhodes, Norma Edwards, Lenora McNamara, Gertrude Davidson, Jennie McElmurray, Kate Conroy, Esther Sulser, May Birch. The rooms were tastefully decorated with spring flowers. Dainty refreshments of fruit salad, wafers and tea was served by the hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pressler, daughter, Jane and Miss Alice Rees have gone to Waverly to spend Sunday with relatives. They will motor home Monday with Dr. Charles Pressler who is coming to Portsmouth to attend a dental meeting.

Mrs. Louis Marting, who has been spending the week with Mrs. R. G. Bryan, will return Sunday to her home in Ironton.

The Mizpah Class of the Central Presbyterian Sunday School will give a concert about the 25th of this month when a tree will offering will be taken.

SOCIETY

A large crowd of young people assembled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Coriell on Gallia street last evening to celebrate the eighteenth birthday anniversary of their son, Davis. The rooms were prettily decorated in pink and white. The guest list included Misses Edna Schwanberger, Edith Davis, Elizabeth Cropper, Ida Cook, Esther Thompson, Kinney Walker, Marie King, Myrtle Partlow, Nellie Warnock, Louise Daniels, Mattie Chapman, Fannie Warnock, Mary Coleman, Messrs. Paul Thompson, Belford Buckley, John Pleasant, Roy Dodds, Thurman Thompson, Clifford Davis, William Server, Larry Bush, Charles Warnock, James Sarver, Herbert Lawson, Gwinn Warnock, John Coriell. The evening's diversions ended with the serving of delicious ice cream and cake.

Mrs. Felix Haas entertained at luncheon yesterday at noon Mrs. Robert G. Bryan and her guest, Mrs. Louis Marting, of Ironton.

Mrs. Albert Pressler was hostess of a social whirl last evening at her home on Officers street where she entertained several women for the benefit of the Fresh Air Camp. Those present were Mesdames Carl Sprecher, T. C. Patterson, Wm. Mickelthwait, Gilbert Monroe, Harry Stalder, John Capehart, Misses Ruth Faverly and Alice Reese.

Len Reeves, Times linotype operator, left Saturday morning to spend the week-end with his father at Hillsboro, where his wife has been visiting for the past week.

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The Cafeteria supper given last evening at the Home for Aged Women was a successful affair. The entertainment committee, Mrs. J. L. Watkins, Mrs. Chas. Losh and Mrs. W. O. Feurt were in charge assisted by the members of the board, Mesdames Geo. Appel, Albert Zoellner, Philip Zoellner, Howard Sellards, F. L. Marting, J. M. Graham, Anne Reed, L. D. York, John E. Williams, Misses Margaret Firmstone, Margaret Miller and Sue Reed. Others who assisted in serving were Misses Margaret Appel, May Ricker, Leonora Alard, Madeline Augustin, Mrs. Mary Larsh and Mrs. Lucy Schleifer. Near forty dollars was the amount realized.

Mrs. James W. Newman entertained the Bridge Club yesterday afternoon. Mrs. S. L. Giffert, Mrs. John Brushart and Mrs. J. H. Varner were guests.

Mrs. George Freund and Mrs. Charles Spencer will entertain with a children's party, May 28th at Mrs. Freund's home, on Gallia street for the benefit of the Fresh Air Camp.

Mrs. Lucien Doty has as weekend guest, Miss Virginia Lewis, of Boston, Mass.

Mrs. G. W. Anderson of Seattle, Wash., will spend a part of next week with Mrs. J. C. Alluer.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Bannion have issued invitations to a bridge party next Wednesday evening at their home on Officers street.

Mrs. Minnie Dight, who has been spending several weeks with relatives in Portsmouth, left on Thursday for Washington, D. C., where she spent Friday, after which she left for New York to remain until the latter part of June and then will go to her summer home in Colebrook, N. H.

Mrs. Gladys Brewster, of Wisconsin, who has been visiting her grandmother, Mrs. P. J. Coe, of Prentiss, attended the high school play in this city, Friday evening.

Fall & Winter Styles For Women

Cincinnati, O., May 15.—Blank, navy, dark brown, and green will constitute the coming fall, and winter season staple colors for women's wearing apparel, according to the annual report of the style committee of the National Cloak, Suit and Skirt Mfg. Association made public here today.

The report says: "There will be definite line for the length of the suit jacket but tailored suits, cut on smartly severe lines somewhat shaped to the form are prominently represented. Some of the jackets are distinguished by high buttoning treatments, set-in sleeves, belted, plaited and flare effects. "Skirts should not be longer than ankle length and the wide skirt which is narrow enough to have a graceful swing, is favored.

A party of young boys were chaperoned by Miss Grace Fry today on an all day outing to Brighton's Inn. In the party were John Lobban, Reilly, Howard Lowry, Richard Hopkins, Varner Altman, Ward Miller, Thomas Williams, Morrison Coe, Hilder Fry, Albert York, Rawley Monagan.

Miss Mildred Wallace returned to Huntington Saturday after spending a few days with Portsmouth friends.

Broadelotus, worked, poplins, gabardines, chevrons, whipcords, serges and tweeds form the fabric basis of the skirts. Many models are treated with braid and fur. "The coats for separate wear are to be long and on somewhat closer fitting lines. They will reveal fullness and flare in the skirt portion of the garment. Utility coats will be cut on loose and straighter lines. "The high buttoned convertible collar and set-in sleeve will be characteristic. The semi-kimonos sleeves and belted effects will be seen on many of the favorite models. Plushes, velours, velvet cords and novelty fabrics with fur trimming will be shown, while chevrons in a variety of weaves and novelties in plain effects and tweeds will make a strong bid for popularity."

The Central Presbyterian Ladies' Aid Society will hold the regular monthly coffee social on next Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. William Haman, on Mahert Road. All members are urged to meet at the church, corner of Seventh and Chillicothe streets, at 1:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Grant Wheeler and daughter, Violet, of 2414 Gallia street, were the Friday guests of Mrs. Stewart Haggard of 847 Seventh street at a 12 o'clock dinner.

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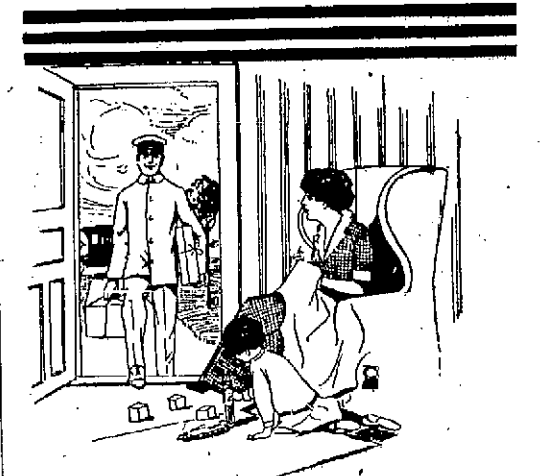
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Mrs. Emma Nichols, who was the guest of Mrs. C. E. Thuman of Fourth street, left Friday on an extended visit with relatives at Wansleyville, O.



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YEGGMAN ROB IRONTON N. & W. FREIGHT DEPOT

BLOW BIG SAFE AND GET AWAY WITH \$221; OFFICIALS ARE BAFFLED

Yeggman blew the big safe in the N. & W. freight station at Ironton, after midnight Friday, securing \$221 and making good their escape without leaving the slightest clue.

The discovery was made by yard men on their way to work Saturday morning, at 9 o'clock, and a half hour later local officials of the company had been notified. It was first planned to secure blood-hounds from Russell, Ky., to track the robbers, but the owner was absent. Detective Robert Reno was directed to go to the scene on N. & W. train No. 16 Saturday noon.

Entrance to the depot was gained by prying a window on the south side of the office. The big safe was completely wrecked. The robbers made no effort to get into the freight house, and evidently were only after money.

Harry J. Dotz, formerly of this city, is the N. & W. agent at Ironton. The local police received a message from the Ironton authori-

ties telling of the robbery.

Was Work Of Expert
The robbery is thought to have been the work of an expert, who worked single-handed. Nitro-glycerine was used and the door was blown completely from the safe. The robber cleaned up everything nicely before making his escape, not leaving a single tool or anything else that might furnish the slightest clue to his identity.

Mrs. Anna Justice, who lives in the immediate vicinity of the station, which is located at Front and Walnut streets, and a half mile east of the passenger depot, believes that she saw the safe-blower. She was suffering with a severe tooth-ache, and as she was unable to sleep, sat in front of her home as late as 11 o'clock Friday night. She was attracted to a man prowling about the building, occasionally peeping through the windows. So far as known no attempt was made to enter any other building in the city.

GETTING TIRED OF DUMP FIRES

As a means of preventing the constant fires in the garbage dumps between Court, Washington and Eleventh streets, city officials are now planning to run a four inch water pipe line to a point about the center, attach a fire hydrant and use the worn hose of the fire department in soaking the deposits every morning until all danger is removed.

Local Masons To Visit Wheelersburg

The Past Masters Association of Scioto county, has accepted an invitation to attend a meeting of Wheelersburg Lodge of Masons

on Wednesday evening, May 26th. The Master Mason's degree will be conferred upon one candidate by the members of the association in the respective offices.

The trip from Portsmouth to Wheelersburg will be made in automobile and among the enjoyable features of the trip will be a big supper at the Baker House. The association is composed of thirty-two past masters, the majority of whom live in Portsmouth. A. J. Fuller, secretary of Aurora Lodge, is president of the association.

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MOORE STILL MISSING; WIFE IS STILL HOPEFUL

Arch Moore, a steel plant laborer, who mysteriously disappeared from his home, 1412 Robinson avenue, after fondly kissing his wife, Mrs. Ada Moore, and step-children goodbye, is still reported missing.

Mrs. Moore blames a relative for her husband's disappearance. She heard from different sources that the woman had been openly expressing her satisfaction over Moore's leaving his wife.

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Mrs. Moore's going leaves the family in desperate circumstances, as the wife has no relatives here to turn to for aid. Her father, William Blevins, a coal miner, is ill at his home in Ironton. Moore left home saying he was going to a doctor's office and would be back within an hour, expecting to go to work at noon. He had half-sold his working shoes in anticipation of going back to work that day.

Appeal For Aid

Several local people have received letters this week, soliciting their contribution to the relief fund being made up in New York for the people of Serbia and Poland. The letter states that the inhabitants of these countries are threatened with famine and an epidemic of disease.

Prominent men and women have enlisted themselves in the cause and have styled their organization the "Committee of Mercy." Senator Billie Root is the honorary president, while among the honorary vice-presidents are Charles W. Eliot, Mrs. J. Borden Harriman, Miss Katherine B. Davis and Hon. John Pursey Mitchell. August Belmont is treasurer of the fund.

It will pay you to get Foster & Hills to paint your house with white lead and linseed oil, and get the best work and material. 640 Sixth St. Phone 152. O. D. Foster, residence 1834 Summit St. G. W. Hills, residence 024 Eighth St. Phone 1624 Y. adv 24

WILL MEET IN ST. LOUIS

The executive committee of the River Terminal Conference has decided to hold a meeting in St. Louis May 31 to begin the work for which it was organized. The conference hopes to arrange for better water transportation to the Gulf to provide adequate terminal facilities to offset the conswive states have in the matter of freight rates over the interior states since the completion of the Panama canal.

Money to loan on real estate. The Royal Savings and Loan Co. adv. 11-11

WILL PUT DOWN NEW SIDEWALK

Mrs. Mary S. Cotton, writing from Cincinnati in a reply to the city's appeal for new sidewalks in front of her Gallia street property, declares she will gladly do anything she can to help beautify Portsmouth. Mrs. Cotton says she will take up the desired improvement upon her return to Portsmouth next month. She also expresses the hope that garbage receptacles will be placed on street corners.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, ss. Lucas County.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid. And that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of ELY'S CATARRH CURE.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1914.

Sprained Ankle

James Wilkerson, whose home is said to be in New Boston, suffered a sprained ankle in a fall he met with in getting off a street car at Second and Chillicothe streets Friday afternoon.

Want New Sidewalks

The city has requested the street railway company to improve its office and sub-station at Tenth and Offshore streets with new sidewalks.

Will Visit Exposition

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Nixon, of Peabody, will leave Monday for San Francisco, where they will take in the Panama Exposition. They will also take in the San Diego Exposition before returning to Adams county.

COMPLAINS OF PUPILS TREATMENT

Police officials have referred a complaint against Luther Thompson, teacher of the East Portsmouth school, to Supt. Frank Appel. It was claimed by a resident there that Mr. Thompson had been reprimanding his son too severely. The name of the complainant became misplaced at headquarters.

Te Buena Vista.
Dr. J. G. Gill, veterinary surgeon, made a professional trip to Buena Vista, Friday.

BIKE RIDER RAMS AUTO AND COMES TO GRIEF

Philip M. Erick, a painter, of Wheelersburg, was painfully bruised about the legs and body, and his bicycle completely demolished in a collision with an automobile belonging to Contractor Keatley, in charge of the C. & O. Northern construction work, near the covered bridge at Sciotoville, about seven o'clock Friday evening. Erick's injuries were attended to by Dr. E. M. Stewart, who stated that they were not of a serious nature.

FIRST MEETING IN 32 YEARS

W. J. Crooks, a retired cattle dealer of Idaho, now a resident of Fayetteville, Ark., is visiting his former schoolmate and friend, W. R. Jones, of Grandview avenue. This is their first meeting in 32 years. Mr. Crooks is surprised at the growth of Portsmouth, Ohio. He and his wife will remain in Ohio for some time visiting friends.

BONZO ON VACATION

Major Joseph Bonzo and his wife left early this morning to visit the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bonzo, Sr., of Madison township. Though aged 84 and 83 years, respectively, his parents are hale and hearty and are still as active as ever. Bonzo's smiling face and military bearing will be missed from the Chillicothe street beat for ten days, he being the first among police officers to get his annual ten days' leave.

Wheelersburg Class Play Very Promising

"What's in a Name" the class play to be presented by the Wheelersburg High School graduates next Wednesday and Thursday evenings will be the best play ever given by a Senior class, according to advance reports on how hard the Seniors are working to make it a success. The capacity of Haequard hall is not great and no two extra large crowds are expected, the play will be given two nights. There will be a slight change in the cast Thursday evening in order to give each Senior a chance to display their talent. The Baccalaureate sermon will be delivered Sunday evening at the Wheelersburg Methodist church by Rev. Albert Marting, of the Fourth Street M. E. church. Music will be furnished by a special quartette from the local church, composed of Wesley Griver, Albert Clausen, John Reisinger and Rev. Albert Marting, with Miss Rose Wendelken as accompanist. Rev. Marting will have as his subject, "Thoughts and Their Capture."

There are twelve graduates this year, the largest number to graduate from Wheelersburg High School and they will receive their diplomas at the commencement exercises, May 21st, when school closes. The class play cast follows:

First scene. Algernon Moncrieff's room.

Second scene. The garden of the Manor house. Woolton.

Third scene. Same as second scene.

Cast

John Worthing—Raymond Gleim.

Algernon Moncrieff, John Worthing's friend—McKinley Sauer.

Rev. Chasuble—Louis Smith.

Lady Bracknell—Ina Miller.

Gwendolyn Fairfax, her daughter—Evelyn Hunsinger.

Cecily Cardew, John Worthing's ward—Marie James.

Miss Prism—Hazel Fritts.

Lane—Eddie Rief.

The cast for Thursday night will be the same with the following changes:

John Worthing, John Sauer; Algernon Moncrieff, John Oakes; Lady Bracknell, Clara Cranston; Gwendolyn Fairfax, Nell Griver; Cecily Cardew, Averil Hunsinger.

WILL NOT HOLD SERVICES

Portsmouth Court, Tribe of Ben Hur, Friday evening decided to dispense with the Mothers' and Children's Day exercises scheduled for the first Sunday in June, owing to the close proximity to the order's Memorial Day, June 13th. Mrs. Rebecca Harris was received into the order as a member at Friday night's meeting.

MEMBERS OF TRINITY CHURCH TO STAY AT HOME NEXT SUNDAY AFTERNOON

Next Sunday afternoon, May 16th, a large group of friendly visitors from Trinity Methodist Episcopal church will pay a short visit to every home represented in the membership of the church. Therefore the members are asked to remain at home next Sunday afternoon to receive these visitors. The special purpose of this visitation is to extend a personal invitation to each family in the church to be present on the following Sunday morning, May 23rd, at a Roll Call Service; and also to promote the spirit of friendship and brotherhood among the members of the church. A cordial welcome is expected for these workers, who will report concerning their work at the mid-week prayer meeting next Wednesday evening.

WANTED SISTERS LOCATED

Police were called late Friday night to assist Mrs. Sarah Conley Moore, of Soldier, Ky., to help locate her sisters, Misses Alice and Mary Brown, of the East End. The young woman just arrived on an N. & W. train from Cincinnati with her ten-month-old child and had never been in Portsmouth before.

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To Build Garage

William B. Altman, of the Selby Shoe company, will soon erect a brick garage in the rear of his fine home at 1122 Lincoln street. Contractor Snider will build it.

DROPS STOVE ON FOOT

William Justice, a teamster for John E. Elmington, while loading household goods Thursday, dropped a stove on his foot. He is now hobbling about on crutches.

REMOVAL

The law offices of J. P. Purdum have been moved to rooms 301-304 Masonic Temple. Home phone No. 6, Bell phone 247.

Omar Crawford In The City

Omar Crawford, who represents the Griffin Clothing company of Baltimore, is in the city on a business trip, having started out on his fall trip. Mr. and Mrs. Crawford make their home in Peabody, Adams county.

Albert M. Reiser, contractor of plastering and cement, has moved from Prospect street to 1735 Offshore. Phone 1272-X. 11-51

Taken To The Hospital

Supt. John Adkins, of the county infirmary, took Miss Mary Crisman and Samuel Hall to the tuberculosis hospital in Columbus, Friday.

Be "Keerful", Fred

Fred Warner, of the Interstate Transfer Company, expects to venture on his first long distance auto trip Sunday. He and family will journey to Ironton in their new Ford touring car.

IF KIDNEYS ACT BAD TAKE SALTS

Says Backache is a sign you have been eating too much meat, which forms uric acid.

When you wake up with backache and dull misery in the kidney region it generally means you have been eating too much meat, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid which overworks the kidneys in their effort to filter it from the blood and they become sore and paralyzed and laggard. When your kidneys get sluggish and slow you must relieve them, like you relieve your bowels; removing all the body's urinous waste, else you have backache, sick headache, dizzy spells; your stomach soars, tongue is coated, and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine is cloudy, full of sediment, channels often get sore, water soles and you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night.

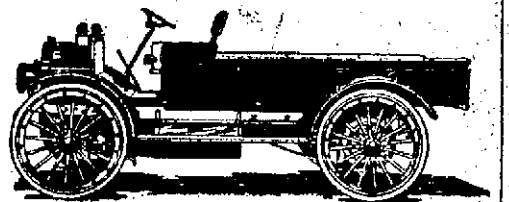
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THREE MEN HURT AT NEW BRIDGE

While unloading machinery to be used in building the new Chesapeake and Ohio Northern railway from Sciotoville to Columbus, three foreigners were badly bruised Saturday morning, when a piece of machinery fell on them. They were taken to Dr. J. F. York's office, where their injuries were dressed. One of the men was pinned under the mass a short time and was badly bruised about the hips, but no bones were broken. The men live in a camp near Sciotoville.

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"OUR COUNTRY"

It will be noticed that the weekly review of the European war by Major Louis Korth, former editor of The Correspondent, as it appeared from the standpoint of a former citizen of Germany and to those of German descent, does not appear this week. That this is so is due to the initiative and decision of Major Korth and is but illustrative of the impressive fact that while those in America of foreign birth or descent, whether Germans, Austrians, English, French or Russian, rightly sympathize with their own countrymen in their struggle with other nations of Europe, yet when it comes a question of America they are all American citizens, Americans true blue and loyal to the last ditch to the land of their adoption.

Thus Major Korth called up the editor of The Times Friday morning and said:

"There will be no review of the war this week."
Right there Mr. Korth would have stopped but he was pressed for an explanation and said:

"I do not think in view of the situation in which our country is involved in the outcome, it would be wise. It is no time to rock the boat."

There you have it, a high conception of patriotic duty and loyalty. Major Korth was born and reared in Germany. He was in his younger days a soldier in the German army. Naturally his sympathies are between Germany and the Allies are with his native land. But when America becomes involved, Major Korth is first of all, an American citizen, and we all understand and honor him for his attitude.

What is true of this one man, is also true and will be found to be true of practically all of his nationality. It would also be found true of those of other nationalities in similar emergencies.

When the supreme test comes, with all our citizens, it is as Major Korth so well put it, "Our Country."

NOT THE OFFICIAL, THE COUNTRY.

It is common now-a-days to talk of standing by the President. It were better were more said about standing by the country, but since in the present crisis the President in standing line and firm for the country it will suffice just now to stand with him.

Moved thereto by the Lusitania horror, President Wilson has sent a note of protest to the Imperial German government against its methods upon the high seas. His language is dignified and moderate but in strength and directness compares entirely with the situation. Conceding nothing to bombast and yielding none to timidity, he leaves no question as to the conception of this country of its own rights upon the high seas and its set purpose to maintain them. The heart of every American will quicken with the reading of the note, in the realization that we have at the head of the government a man, who in calmness of judgment and courage of conviction is eminently fitted to deal with so grave a condition as is all too evident now confronts. Better than that even is the conviction of the public that it is well just at this juncture that the fortunes of the land for weal or woe are in the keeping of a steady hand, a clear head and a true heart that will hold fast for the peace that can be maintained in honor, and that fiftieth public clamor can never drive from poise.

With Woodrow Wilson we must feel the right, the dignity, the honor of the nation are in just and safe keeping. It is for the people to keep their temper.

There never was a braver nor a harder fighter in defense of his country than General Jacob H. Smith. He demonstrated his bravery in two great wars and he was right where the bullets flew thickest as shown by the numerous wounds he received. Coming from such a man, his denunciation of jingoes and the jingoistic spirit, as published in Friday's Times is of special weight and interest right now. The men who do the real fighting are the men who hesitate the longest to draw the sword.

The man who stands on the First National Bank corner every day in the year, holidays included, abandoned his post long enough this morning to send a telegram of confidence to the President and also to say to him that he hoped the President would succeed in keeping us out of war. The "corner" man is for peace with honor and he has no use for jingoes.

THE LEADER



Uncle Sam—"Come on boys, let's set it up again."

IF NOT ONE THING THEN ANOTHER.

These water works problem spring eternal and there's Wheeling that has one about as complex as that with which the Peerless has been "wrestling" for now going on two years, after it thought it had the solution.

The trouble at the up-river village is just different from ours in that it is trying to get started on a new system, while we are trying to get a new one started on our right. About a year ago, perhaps more, Wheeling voted on the kind of water works it wanted. Several plans were submitted, but that offered by Mr. Lloyd E. Smith, who first put the Peerless on the map as a hotel town, was adopted by an overwhelming majority. That was fine, as far as it went, but it didn't get anywhere. The West Virginia metropolis, like every other municipality, is dead broke and it didn't have any money to build water works and the old subterfuge of voting more bonds has to be resorted to, provided the people are willing to put more burdens on their own backs and mortgage posterity. This proposition is now to be decided. The issue of bonds is being vigorously and viciously opposed by the intelligencer, the oldest and most respectable paper in the city. Ostensibly it is basing its opposition to the bonds on the installation of the Smith system, which a favorable vote would mean. Thereby it provokes the terrible indignation of the Parkersburg Journal. It responds strong and vibrant to the attack upon the Smith system by the assertion—which we in Portsmouth will regard as altogether marvelous—that "this Smith system has been in operation in Parkersburg for four years and so far not a single defect has developed in its operation. We have the best, purest, clearest, healthiest water of any city touching the Ohio. It is impossible to get from the Ohio better water than is supplied our city."

That is as forcible and conclusive as the case can be put, it would seem, but the Journal is not satisfied to stop there and it concludes:

"Of all Parkersburg's public holdings, its water works system is its greatest boast and deservedly so." We feel we must accept the verdict of the Journal as final and incontestable, because under the law and constitution these "Smokes" must, perforce, be judges of water, as it is not lawful for them to know any other liquid.

It doesn't matter now who put the deal over by which Hamilton county, the wettest spot in the state voted for the most arid candidate. It is only important that it is now apparent that Pete Durr and other job leaders sold for mighty cheap bunk handed them, and by a preacher at that.

WORTHY OF CONSIDERATION.

Here's a little gem from the Sandusky Register to which we would be glad to have every Marionite give consideration: "This is your street in your city," reads a sign posted by the New York street cleaning department. "Keep it as clean as your room in your house." A rather exacting request, but nevertheless a good motto for any section of any city. Too many citizens, old and young, seem to think that their obligations of neatness and cleanliness end at the front gate. Marion is seeing a lot of individual effort, just at present, but not enough neighborhood effort. Why can't our citizenship show a little more in the way of concerted endeavor? Nothing could produce greater results along the lines of cleanliness and beautification.—Marion Star.

IMPOSSIBLE!

If I saw a jay bird talking to a crimson crocodile.
Or a cross-eyed foot-and wearing R. V. D's.
I could calmly trudge on homeward without parting with a smile,
For I've seen a sight that's stranger far than these.

If I saw a yellow raven do a Grecian classic dance.
Or a soft-shell turtle, writing in a book;
Do you think it would surprise me? It would never have a chance;
I would never pause to take a second look.

There is nothing that would move me now or make my poor brain whirl;
Nor cause my face to register alarm.
I know you won't believe me, but today I saw a girl,
Who wears enough to really keep her warm.

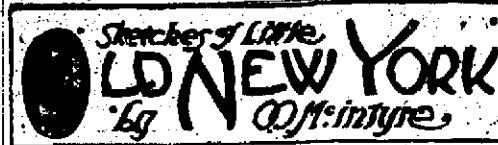
—Exchange.

Of course if there really is a war, the state militia will be the very first ones to get a taste of service. This ought to enable Capt. Smith to fill the ranks of his new company in the O. N. G. with dispatch for all the jingoes in town naturally will want to get the first whack at the enemy. Eh, what?

One of the trials of a national crisis is that every statesman with an "Ex" before his name feels it his duty to tell the rest of us what he would have done in such an emergency.

We protest. Right here when our European complication is getting tense comes the mayor and sends Major Bunzo off on a ten days' vacation.

We have the names of seventeen jingoes hereabouts who have been clamoring for war with Germany. If war should unfortunately come we expect to see a grand rush of the seventeen to get in the first army sent to the front.



New York, May 15—The plight of Giuseppe Rizzo, barber, of the Bronx, has moved the entire Manhattan Island to pity. Not simply because he is behind the bars but because it was his kindness of heart that got him there.

Rizzo could not withstand the pleadings of the Bronx Park elephants for peanuts. He fed them in defiance of a city ordinance which prohibits visitors offering food to the zoo animals. When caught he was hauled to a lockup and lies in duress vile unable to comprehend what it is all about.

The zoological society does not fear so much that animals will be overfed for their capacities are ample, but that they may be injured by some vandal. Not long ago one of the famous apes was badly burned by a box of matches given to it by a person that was never caught.

The opening of the kicking season was done auspiciously by a passenger on the Erie. He writes to his favorite newspaper thusly: "I have read in your paper of a passenger being overcome by heat on an Erie train at Passaic and I am not surprised at it, and there will be more if the company does not run its commuter trains fast enough to make some breezes these hot days."

Neutrality in an Amsterdam avenue shop: "French and German Delicatessen."

While a subway train was whizzing him down to his job the other morning, Walter Kingsley, the official manager of city editors for the Keitins, speared the following conversation between two well informed neutrals at his right.

"Which side do you think Italy will join?"
"Italy won't go in at all. She'll stay neutral so as to protect her smaller municipalities, like Uruguay and Paraguay."

Broadway hears—and the shouting can still be heard in the

offing—that a well known restaurant is going to open a brand new type of eating place on the fringe of the White Lights. It is to be sane and quiet.

The proprietor believes that there are still a few old-fashioned folk who desire to take their nourishment undiluted by fox trots and vaudeville. This will be a restaurant where a patron can secure food in peace and comfort. It will not be a dance hall or a variety show, with food as a side issue.

There are very few places in town where the palate may have its pleasures undisturbed by whirling dervishes or musical reviews—so-called. The new restaurant will fill a long felt want.

When "Tribby" was revived the other week with an all-star cast a small time vaudeville agent

was in at the Death Watch—the Broadwayesque term for first night.

Asked how he liked the big production he replied: "Oh, I didn't think it was much until the big dame appeared in one scene and did her specialty. She saved the sketch, all right, all right."

The "specialty" was Phyllis Neilson-Terry's rendition of "Ben Bolt."

The worn has finally turned. Broadway pedestrians have been used to jumping to safety when taxi drivers yelled at them. The other day a non-jumping pedestrian was encountered by a blustering, brow-beating driver.

"Get out of my way or I'll run you down," shouted the driver.

The young man, instead of jumping to one side, made a flying leap into the front of the taxi cab and gently but firmly grasping the taxi pirate by the Adam's apple he proceeded coolly to blacken both eyes.

It was noticeable that the policeman on the corner kept his back turned during the proceedings.



The Spur of Failure

Failure shouldn't be a brake.
Make of it a spur.
Blend your pace and keep awake
When its stings occur.
Make of it a call to fight,
Not a cry to quit;
When your plans aren't going right,
Rouse yourself a bit.

Failure's not a stopping place.
It's a starting line,
Just the first lap of a race.
Do not pause to whine.
When its howls come to you,
Take them like a man;
They are urging you to do
Something that you can.

If by failure you are spurred.
You can win again:
Many a time has this occurred
To your fellow-men.
There are ways that you can take
When you're trouble-logged,
If your failure is a brake
That a fellow's lost.

—Detroit Free Press.

Good Names

Mrs. Ayre-Shaft—The people in the next apartment are having a lovely time deciding on names for their new twins.

Mr. Ayre-Shaft—Tell them I suggested Hugh and Cry.—Judge.

Using Central

Mrs. Newed-Holko, Central! I've just put some eggs on to boil.

and I find that my clock is stopped. Would you mind calling me up in three minutes?—Judge.

Men of Either Sex Included

Word has come to me that both boys and men have been violating the fish law by divers means prohibited by the laws of this state. If any such can be caught they will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law, irrespective of age or sex. John Tumey, Deputy Fish and Game Warden.—Marshall (Ill.) Herald.

Making Sure of It

"Johnnie!"
"Yes'm!"
"Why are you sitting on that boy's face?"
"Why, I—"
"Did I not tell you to always count 100 before you gave way to passion and struck another boy?"
"Yes'm, and I'm just sittin' on his face so he'll be here when I'm done countin' 100."—Kansas City Star.

Muddy Coffee

Wishing to be social, the keeper of the restaurant said as he handed the coffee to her guest: "It looks a little like rain, don't it?"
"Yes," replied the guest, "but it has a little smell of coffee."—Ex.

Question: Did Any One Listen?

Mrs. Alex. Ross' readings from the writing of Bert Leston Taylor were fine and her effort was commensurate by all who listened to her.—Lead, S. O., Exchange.

It Naturally Would

"How do you like life in the militia?"
"Well, the drilling process makes me feel bored."—Baltimore American.

George W. Austin, of Kent, Ohio's oldest man, is dead at the age of 107. He was hale and hearty, both in body and mind, up to three weeks before his death, when a fall in which his hip was broken, weakened him physically and hastened his death. He never worried and to that he ascribed his long days.

The sentiment of the country was never more peacefully inclined but we must admit that in our daily walk we meet a few men and brethren who feel it their duty to do a little more snorting and breathing of defiance than are really necessary at this time.—Columbus Journal.

That perpetual debate between ourselves and Brother McAfee on Demon Rum has been temporarily laid aside while we buck up the president and help settle the European mess.

Colonel Roosevelt will spend a week in June tarpon fishing in the Gulf, near New Orleans. That leaves three other weeks in June for the Colonel to do something else exciting.—St. Louis Globe Democrat.

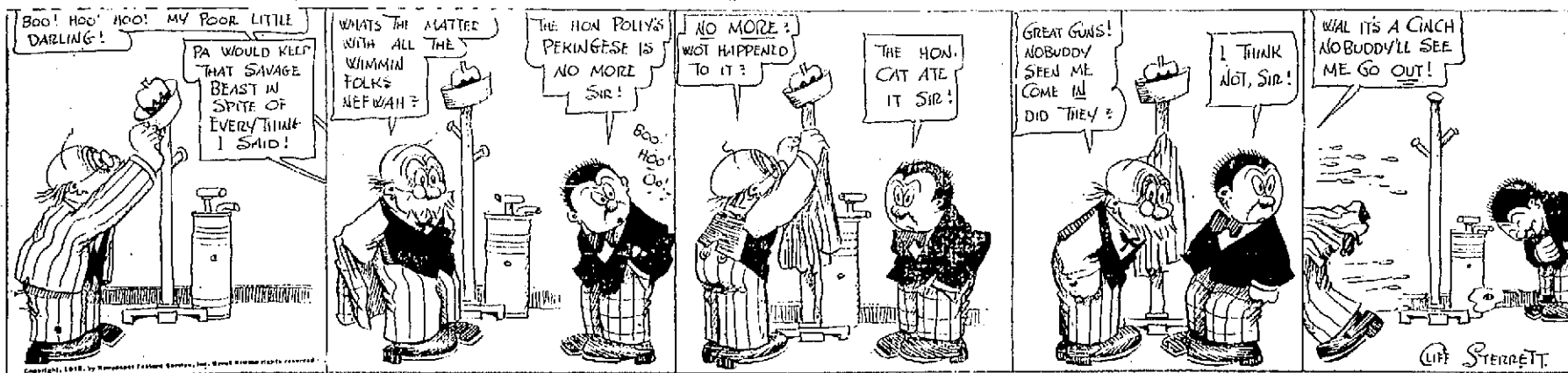
William Watson is hectoring the English for not going to the front to fight. Why doesn't Watson go?—Columbia S. C. State.

If we knew whether to pronounce it Gulf Light or the Gulf Flight, we could tell just how to deal with Germany over the sinking of the Gullflight.

We could brag that the Peerless has the best railroads in the world if we did not feel some cynic would rebut us by adding "and the worst passenger stations."

Odd old world. Up in Vinton county they are complaining of "the extremely dry weather."

POLLY AND HER PALS



ONE GULP AND CHIN CHIN IS NO MORE

Crops Are Fine

"Growing crops certainly look fine right now. The rains of the past few days have done a world of good to vegetation," said Otto Zuehlner, well-known Dogwood Ridge farmer, who paid the city a visit Friday.

To Visit At Troy.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Givens, of McGaw P. O., left Saturday for a visit to the latter's sister, Mrs. Mary Burrell, at Troy, O. Upon their return trip they will visit their son, Lynn Givens, at Columbus.

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GERMAN SPOKESMAN TO LEAVE U.S.

DR. BERNARD DERNBURG IS ADVISED BY FRIENDS TO QUIT THE COUNTRY

Washington, D. C., May 15.—Dr. Bernhard Dernburg, often referred to as the unofficial spokesman of Kaiser William, in the United States, has made plans to leave the country on his own initiative within a short time.

It became known in official quarters today that in view of the intimations that President Wilson and the cabinet were displeased with Dr. Dernburg's speeches justifying the sinking of the Lusitania, and some of his other public utterances which they believe might be calculated to array sentiment of Germany in the United States against the Washington government, friends of Dr. Dernburg here have persuaded him to leave the United States.

Just when Dr. Dernburg would leave or where he would go was not made known, but it was believed he would sail for Cuba or South America.

Officials here made no comment on that beyond pointing to Dr. Dernburg's utterances in Cleveland and New York recently seeking to justify the attack on the Lusitania.

COMMENT OF PRESS ON NOTE

NEW YORK EVENING POST.—President Wilson has splendidly met the just desires of the American people. His note to the German government is both in form and substance all that the crisis demanded. It is studiously courteous, yet the iron determination behind it is not concealed. It states our righteous grievance, basing it upon the general principles of the law of nations. With clear provision and urgent force but carefully leaves the door open to Germany to make amends to the United States and to set herself right in the eyes of the world.

SEATTLE (WASH.) TIMES.—It is a temperate and meaningful note. Ninety per cent of the American people will stand behind the president in his efforts to bring out those real American declarations of true patriotism.

INDIANAPOLIS GERMANTELEGRAPH TRIBUNE.—We believe it is impossible for the German government to comply with the president's extravagant demand which amounts to German disarmament on pain of death. All that will be required to safeguard British armored merchantmen carrying contraband will be to put passengers, preferably Americans on board, and they will be immune from attack by German submarines. It is an injustice of President Wilson to demand that Germany should lay aside its most effective weapon of attack.

MILWAUKEE ABENDPOST

"We do not remember ever having written an article with heavier hearts. While we compose it, we are under pressure of a most arduous situation, which an American citizen of German extraction may have to face, that which has always appeared to us not only as direct enmity, but could befall us, but also most heinous crime that could be committed against civilization, has, apparently, at least become a possibility—neither between the two countries nearest and dearest to our hearts. On one side there is no sentiment more natural and more beautiful than the loving attachment to the country where our cradles stood, x x x. On the other side we are American citizens who under all conditions have to conserve their loyalty to the great country of their adoption, x x x. We can only express our greatest hope that the German government while fully recognizing its rights may yet find in its answer the tone that will spare us the worst."

CLEVELAND NEWS

"Our country's hope of broken peace now rests with Berlin. The note fulfills all that was predicted of it. It is all that Americans could wish. In its dignity, honesty, moderation and determination it deserves to stand as it does stand, as the voice of the whole American people."

DENVER POST

"The president's note to Germany is mainly and patriotic the stand of the United States is unquestionably notwithstanding the snare and diplomatic expressions used. The red-blooded people of the West would have preferred a (Continued on Page 4.)

TO FORM NEW CABINET IN ITALY

ANTI-GERMAN SITUATION IS TENSE IN SOUTH AFRICA; DAMAGES MOUNT HIGH

PRESIDENT AND PARTY ENROUTE TO N. YORK

Washington, D. C., May 15.—President Wilson and party were enroute to New York today aboard the naval yacht Mayflower, on their way to New York, where the President will review the Atlantic fleet next week. The Mayflower was to pass out of the Virginia Capes at noon today and arrive at New York early Monday. The return trip will begin Tuesday night, the Presidential party departing Washington early Thursday.

The trip is affording the President his first opportunity, for rest, he has had since the crisis in connection with the Lusitania disaster.

Arrangements had been made to keep the President advised of the many important developments in the situation.

CRUISER GOES TO AID AMERICANS

Washington, May 15.—The United States cruiser New Orleans at Manzanillo is under orders today to sail from there to Guaymas, Mexico, where she will join the cruiser Raleigh in extending aid, if necessary, to the American colony in the Yucatan valley, attacked by Indians. Orders to the New Orleans were dispatched by Secretary Daniels following receipt of unofficial advice, which said that several Americans had been killed in the Yucatan valley.

The question whether blue-jackets and marines will be landed for the protection of Americans will depend upon the outcome of an investigation by Admiral Thomas B. Graydon, commanding the Pacific fleet. He had been ordered by Secretary Daniels to make a report. Officials here hope that the troops to have been sent to the scene by Governor Maytorna, the Villa commanders in Sonora will have relieved the colonists before the arrival of the New Orleans at Guaymas.

MORE JOBS THAN MEN IN PITTSBURGH NOW

Pittsburgh, Pa., May 15.—A call for 2,500 men to work in coal mines in Fayette county, W. Va., has been received by the Federal government's employment bureau here, but so far it has been impossible to furnish more than 300 according to an announcement made yesterday by Wm. Poser, who is in charge of the Pittsburgh district. Mr. Poser said that the local office, which is a branch of the immigration service, is also unable to supply the demand for domestics and farm help. This is the first time, he said, since the department was opened on January 1st here, that the demand for help has been greater than the number of applicants.

GERMAN PAPER SAYS ALL BLAME FOR SINKING THE LUSITANIA UPON THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Amsterdam, via London, May 15.—All the blame for the sinking of the Lusitania is placed upon the United States government by the Berlin Vossische Zeitung of Thursday, which argues that the liner took no care to avoid danger, but considered her protection in "the living American camp."

The newspaper asserts it was the concealment of this danger and American passengers on board who consider whether it can allow belligerent countries to strike the lives of

ANTI-JAP RIOTS IN HANKOW

Hankow, China, May 15.—(via Paris).—An incident, anti-Japanese riot, resulted last night from the circulation of circulars of unknown origin stating that the Japanese colony would hold a military parade in celebration of the victory over China. Shops were closed and crowds assembled at the British consession to watch the Japanese procession. Three Japanese ships were looted and two Japanese injured. British and Russian volunteers with fixed bayonets dispersed the rioters before the arrival of a regiment of Chinese troops which had been called out to quell the disturbance.

The Japanese garrison was ordered out but withdrew at the request of the British consul and the Chinese authorities.

RAILROADS CAN'T OWN STEAMSHIPS

Washington, D. C., May 15.—The application of the Pennsylvania, New York Central, Lehigh Valley and other railroads to retain ownership and continue operation of boat lines on the Great Lakes despite the prohibition in the Panama Canal act was denied today by the interstate commerce commission.

All the railroads applying must give up their boat lines by December 1, 1915.

TWO KILLED, FOUR HURT

Zanesville, May 15.—Two men were killed and four injured when a B. & O. freight train was derailed last night near Belmont. All the victims were train riders, none of the crew being injured. Thirteen cars were piled up.

BODY WILL REPRESENT ALL PHASES OF OPINION

Rome (via Paris), May 15.—Giuseppe Margoni, entrusted by King Victor Emmanuel with the task of forming a new cabinet to succeed the Salandra ministry which resigned upon its resignation, being accepted, because it lacked the unanimous support of the country in a supreme crisis, is a 74-year-old veteran, 74 years old. He has had a wide experience in public life and in 1910 declined a request to organize a cabinet. He has served many years in parliament and has long been president of the Chamber of Deputies.

After receiving the king's request, he called upon several Senators and former Premier Di Giolitti. He then waited upon Di Giolitti and reported progress in his efforts to get together a new ministry, which would represent all phases of public opinion.

He already has assured himself of the support of Signor Mussolini, leader of the socialist reformists; Signor Pantano, a radical leader; and Signor Lanzani, one of the foremost Republicans. It is believed he will be sustained by Signor Salandra and that Signor Giolitti will assume an attitude of friendly neutrality.

There is no doubt that Salandra is one of the most popular figures in Italy among the people. He was widely cheered yesterday afternoon while driving to the Chamber of Deputies to confer with Signor Alcide De Gasperi and other members of the cabinet.

Prince Scipione Borghese, head of one of the foremost families of Rome, indicated yesterday that he favored the king.

While no official statement has been made as to a possible solution of the grave problem, the country faces there is a possibility that the meeting of the Chamber of Deputies may be further adjourned or the session of parliament closed. In the latter case it would be reassembled within three months with a special law to the throne. The possibility of a dissolution of the chamber undoubtedly has been contemplated if it is found to be in control of a factious parliamentary majority which does not represent the real will of the country.

WILLIAM THAW SHOWS BRAVERY

Paris, May 15.—William Thaw of Pittsburgh, who is serving as a pilot in the French military aviation corps, has been commended in army orders for his brilliant services and has received the recently founded military cross.

Thaw volunteered at the beginning of the war in the American corps of the foreign legion and was appointed to the aviation corps in December. It was reported in Paris in April that he had been killed.

MORGANTHAU INTERVENE FOR NON-COMBATANTS

London, May 15.—Fifty British and French nationals who were deported from Constantinople to the Gallipoli Peninsula by the Turkish authorities have been brought back to the capital through the efforts of United States Ambassador Morgenthau, according to a Reuters dispatch from Athens.

The deportation of British and French citizens to the scene of violent fighting in the Dardanelles region was decreed by Turkey on the ground that shall fire from the allied fleet was killing, wounding or endangering Turkish non-combatants whose homes are on the Peninsula. As soon as the order was issued Mr. Morgenthau was requested by the British and French governments to file a vigorous protest in their behalf. In spite of this action on his part, however, the nationals of these two countries were placed aboard a ship and started for Gallipoli. His later protests evidently have been more successful.

DEATH ON GALLOWG IS DEPLORED BY GEO. HUNT

Phoenix, Ariz., May 15.—Gov. Hunt, in a statement made public today, severely criticized the state board of pardons and paroles for sending five men to an "orgy of death" on the gallows May 28, by failing to recommend the cases to him for the exercise of executive clemency. The new law gives the board sole discretion in the matter.

"The young state of Arizona is about to set an example of legalized murder which lurks back to savagery," said the governor.

AWAIT WORD FROM GERARD

Washington, D. C., May 15.—Word from Ambassador Gerard at Berlin of the receipt by him of the note sent by the United States to Germany was awaited today by official Washington. Although the communication is believed to have now reached Berlin and probably will be presented today.

With the presentation of the

MCALL IN FORM; BABES ARE BEATEN 4 TO 2

Second Game At Chilly Is Copped By Spencer's Team

Chilly, May 14.—(Special) Spencer's Cobblers' team, which traveled to Portsmouth on Friday night, for the second game of the season, today defeated the Chilly team, 4 to 2. The game was played at the home of the Cobblers, and was a very close one. The Cobblers' team was led by Spencer, who pitched a very good game. The Chilly team was led by their pitcher, who pitched a very good game. The game was a very close one, and the Cobblers' team was victorious.

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When Dick Smith Pitched

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LUZERUS LEADS NATIONAL, FOURNIER THE AMERICAN

Chicago, Ill., May 15.—Veterans of the American league are assuming places among its leading batters, according to averages published here today. Jacques Lefebvre, pitcher of Chicago, still leads the league with .433, but Cobb of Detroit has attained second place in the past week, now batting .400 and .400.

Manager Lee Magee, of Brooklyn, has hammered his way to the leadership in the Federal league, and also is setting the pace for the base stealers. His batting average is .412 and he has 22 stolen bases. In fact the first four places among the batters are held by Brooklyn players, as following: Magee, the first eleven include: Westcott, Brooklyn, .407; Kauff, Brooklyn, .404; Cooper, Brooklyn, .398; Black, Chicago, .395; Hamford, Chicago, .393; Mann, Chicago, .387; Bradley, Pittsburgh, .366; Scher, Newark, .350; Duncanson, Baltimore and Eastern, .345; City, .340 each. In team hitting Brooklyn with .288, and Baltimore with .267, are ahead. Leading pitchers are Allen, Philadelphia, with six wins and no losses; and Prindergast, Chicago, with three wins and no losses.

In the American Association Billy Shott is hitting at a .341 clip.

Had Hunch Team Would Lose

I had an hunch we would lose the opening game at Chillicothe, but you take a peek at the schedule on that day? asked Gatcher Mills of Manager Spencer, last night. He was right. The game was played at the home of the Cobblers, and was a very close one. The Cobblers' team was led by Spencer, who pitched a very good game. The Chilly team was led by their pitcher, who pitched a very good game. The game was a very close one, and the Cobblers' team was victorious.

Same Here, Brother

In New League

Zeiser Joins The Babes

Track Meet

Local Team Is Boosted By Scribe

President Tener Raps New York Club For Trying To Play Kauff

New York, May 15.—President Tener gave out an official statement concerning the Kauff case, a statement which gives an explicit showing up to the New York club, and which was sent to the press.

Oodles Of Fans Will Flock To Ironton Sunday To See Game

Hundreds of Portsmouth fans will no doubt go to Ironton tomorrow to witness the first Monday game between Manager Dick Smith's reorganized Naiter and Manager Spencer's Portsmouth team.

Peace Not Considered

Chicago, May 15.—There is no immediate prospect for peace between organized baseball and the Federal league, according to E. B. Johnson, president of the American league, who is home from a trip to the eastern cities of his circuit.

To Play Maysville

The Yankees, one of the city's best amateur clubs, have been invited to play the Maysville All-Professionals Sunday afternoon.

Outlook Favorable

The gratifying upturns in all Ohio state league towns demonstrated one thing and that is the game will be more popular than ever this season.

AMATEUR GAMES SUNDAY

Games with Portsmouth's amateur clubs Sunday: Steel Plant vs. Chippewa, Millbrook 2 o'clock.

Colts Win Again

Lexington, Ky., May 15.—Lexington made its third straight win from Frankfort Friday in a swiftest of league play, which they won 9 to 6.

CHARLESTON DEFEATED

Ironton turned the tables on Charleston Friday in Naiterville, winning a well played game 5 to 3.

GIANTS GRAB LAST GAME

After winning the first game from the Giants the Reds turned right around and dropped the next three.

IDEAL WEATHER CONDITIONS FOR EIGHT OAKED SHELL RACE

Princeton, N. J., May 15.—Ideal weather conditions for the eight oaked shell race, which will be held at the Princeton-Pennsylvania track, today, there is only a slight wind, hardly enough to rattle the sails.

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"OUR COUNTRY"

It will be noticed that the weekly review of the European war by Major Louis Korth, former editor of The Correspondent, as it appeared from the standpoint of a former citizen of Germany and to those of German descent, does not appear this week. That this is so is due to the initiative and decision of Major Korth and is but illustrative of the impressive fact that while those in America of foreign birth or descent, whether Germans, Austrians, English, French or Russian, rightly sympathize with their own countrymen in their struggle with other nations of Europe, yet when it comes a question of America they are all American citizens. Americans true blue and loyal to the last ditch to the land of their adoption.

Thus Major Korth called up the editor of The Times Friday morning and said:

"There will be no review of the war this week."

Right there Mr. Korth would have stopped but he was pressed for an explanation and said:

"I do not think in view of the situation in which our country is involved in the outcome, it would be wise. It is no time to rock the boat."

There you have it, a high conception of patriotic duty and loyalty. Major Korth was born and reared in Germany. He was in his younger days a soldier in the German army. Naturally his sympathies as between Germany and the Allies are with his native land. But when America becomes involved, Major Korth is first of all an American citizen, and we all understand and honor him for his attitude.

What is true of this man, is also true and will be found to be true of practically all of his nationality. It would also be found true of those of other nationalities in similar emergencies.

When the supreme test comes, with all our citizens, it is as Major Korth so well put it, "Our Country."

NOT THE OFFICIAL, THE COUNTRY.

It is common now-a-days to talk of standing by the President. It is better were more said about standing by the country, but since in the present crisis the President is standing, and for the country it will suffice just now to stand with him.

Moved thereby by the Lusitania horror, President Wilson has sent a note of protest to the Imperial German government against its methods upon the high seas. His language is dignified and moderate but in strength and directness compares entirely with the situation. Conceding nothing to bombast and yielding none to timidity, he leaves no question as to the conception of this country of its own rights upon the high seas and its set purpose to maintain them. The heart of every American will quicken with the reading of the note, in the realization that we have at the head of the government a man, who in calmness of judgment and courage of conviction is immediately fitted to deal with so grave a condition as is all too evident now confronting. Better than that even is the conviction of the public that it is well just at this juncture that the fortunes of the land for weal or woe are in the keeping of a steady hand, a clear head and a true heart that will hold fast for the peace that can be maintained in honor, and that fitful public clamor can never drive from poise.

With Woodrow Wilson we must feel the right, the dignity, the honor of the nation are in just and safe keeping. It is for the people to keep their temper.

There never was a braver nor a harder fighter in defense of his country than General Jacob H. Smith. He demonstrated his bravery in two great wars and he was right where the bullets flew thickest as shown by the numerous wounds he received. Coming from such a man, his denunciation of jingoes and the jingoistic spirit, as published in Friday's Times is of special weight and interest right now. The men who do the real fighting are the men who hesitate the longest to draw the sword.

The man who stands on the First National Bank corner every day in the year, holidays included, abandoned his post long enough this morning to send a telegram of confidence to the President and also to say to him that he hoped the President would succeed in keeping us out of war. The "corner" man is for peace with honor and he has no use for jingoes.

THE LEADER



Uncle Sam—Come on boys, let's set it up again.

IF NOT ONE THING THEN ANOTHER.

These water works problem spring eternal and there's Wheeling that has one about as complex as that with which the Peerless has been "wringling" for how going on two years, after it thought it had the solution.

The trouble at the up-river village is just different from ours in that it is trying to get started on a new system, while we are trying to get a new one started on our right. About a year ago, perhaps more, Wheeling voted on the kind of water works it wanted. Several plans were submitted, but that offered by Mr. Lloyd B. Smith, who first put the Peerless on the map as a hotel town, was adopted by an overwhelming majority. That was fine, as far as it went, but it didn't get anywhere. The West Virginia metropolis, like every other municipality, is dead broke, and it didn't have any money to build water works and the old subterfuge of voting more bonds has to be resorted to, provided the people are willing to put more burdens on their own backs and mortgage posterity. This proposition is now to be decided. The issue of bonds is being vigorously and viciously opposed by the intelligencer, the oldest and most respectable paper in the city. Ostensibly it is basing its opposition to the bonds on the installation of the Smith system, which a favorable vote would mean. Thereby it provokes the terrible indignation of the Parkersburg Journal. It responds strong and vibrant to the attack upon the Smith system by the assertion—which we in Portsmouth will regard as altogether marvelous—that "this Smith system has been in operation in Parkersburg for four years and so far not a single defect has developed in its operation. We have the best, purest, clearest, healthiest water of any city touching the Ohio. It is impossible to get from the Ohio better water than is supplied our city."

That is as forcible and conclusive as the case can be put, it would seem, but the Journal is not satisfied to stop there and it concludes:

"Of all Parkersburg's public holdings, its water works system is its greatest boast and deservedly so." We feel we must accept the verdict of the Journal as final and incontestable, because under the law and constitution these "Snakes" must, perforce, be judges of water, as it is not lawful for them to know any other liquid.

It doesn't matter now who put the deal over by which Hamilton county, the wettest spot in the state voted for the most arid candidate. It is only important that it is now apparent that Pete Durr and other job leaders sold for mighty cheap bunk handed them, and by a preacher at that.

WORTHY OF CONSIDERATION.

Here's a little gem from the Smithwick Register to which we would be glad to have every Marlinton give consideration:

"This is your street in your city," reads a sign posted by the New York street cleaning department. "Keep it as clean as your room in your house." A rather exacting request, but nevertheless a good motto for any section of any city. Two thirty citizens, old and young, seem to think that their obligations of neatness and cleanliness end at the front gate.

Marion is seeing a lot of individual effort, just at present, but not enough neighborhood effort. Why can't our citizenship show a little more in the way of concerted endeavor? Nothing could produce greater results along the lines of cleanliness and beautification.—Marion Star.

IMPOSSIBLE!

If I saw a Jay bird talking to a crimson crow-doodle,
Or a cross-eyed hoot-owl wearing B. V. D's,
I could easily trudge on homeward without parting with a smile,
For I've seen a night that's stranger far than these.

If I saw a yellow raven do a Grecian classic dance,
Or a soft-shell turtle, writing in a book,
Do you think it would surprise me if I would never have a chance,
I would never pause to take a second look.

There is nothing that would move me now or make my poor brain whirl;

Nor cause my fate to register alarm;
I know you won't believe me, but today I saw a girl,
Who wears enough to really keep her warm.—Exchange.

Of course if there really is a war, the state militia will be the very first ones to get a taste of service. This ought to enable Capt. Smith to fill the ranks of his new company in the O. N. G. with dispatch for all the jingoes in town naturally will want to get the first whack at the enemy. Eh, what?

One of the trials of a national crisis is that every statesman with an "Ex" before his name feels it his duty to tell the rest of us what he would have done in such an emergency.

We protest. Right here when our European complication is getting tense comes the mayor and sends Major Bonzo off on a ten days' vacation.

We have the names of seventeen jingoes herabouts who have been clamoring for war with Germany. If war should unfortunately come we expect to see a grand rush of the seventeen to get in the first army sent to the front.

Sketches of Life
OLD NEW YORK
By Art. Ingre

New York, May 15.—The plight of Giuseppe Rizzo, barber of the Bronx, has moved the entire Manhattan Island to pity. Not simply because he is behind the bars, but because it was his kindness of heart that got him there.

Rizzo could not withstand the pleadings of the Bronx Park elephants for peanuts. He fed them which prohibits visitors offering food to the zoo animals. When caught he was hauled to a lockup and lies in duress vile unable to comprehend what it is all about.

The zoological society does not fear so much that animals will be overfed for their capacities are ample, but that they may be injured by some vandal. Not long ago one of the famous tigers was badly burned by a box of matches given to it by a person that was never caught.

The opening of the kicking season was done auspiciously by a passenger on the Erie. He writes to his favorite newspaper thusly:

"I have read in your paper of a passenger being overcome by heat on an Erie train at Passaic and I am not surprised at it, and there will be more if the company does not run its commuter trains fast enough to make some breezes these hot days."

Neutrality in an Amsterdam avenue shop, "French and German Delicatessen."

While a subway train was whizzing him down to his job the other morning, Walter Kingsley, the official amuseur of city editors for the Keitts, appeared the following conversation between two well informed neutrals at his right.

"Which side do you think Italy will join?"
"Italy won't go in at all. She'll stay neutral as us to protect her smaller municipalities, like Uruguay and Paraguay."

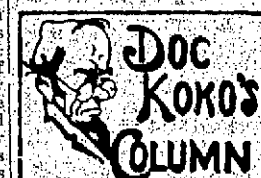
Broadway hears—and the shouting can still be heard in the

offing—that a well known restaurateur is going to open a brand new type of eating place on the fringe of the White Lights. It is to be sane and quiet.

The proprietor believes that there are still a few old-fashioned folk who desire to take their nourishment undiluted by fox trots and vaudeville. This will be a restaurant where a patron can secure food in peace and comfort. It will not be a dance hall or a variety show, with food as a side issue.

There are very few places in town whereat the palate may have its pleasures undisturbed by whirling dervishes or musical reviews—so-called. The new restaurant will fill a long felt want.

When "Trilly" was revived the other week with an all-star cast in small time vaudeville ugal



The Spur of Failure

Failure shouldn't be a brake.
Might of it a spur.
Mind your pace and keep awake.
When its eatings occur.
Make of it a end to fight.
Not a cry to quit.
When your plans aren't going right,
Rouse yourself a bit.

Failure's not a stopping place.
It's a starting line.
Just the first lay of a race,
Do not pause to whine.
When its howls come to you,
Take them like a man.
They are urging you to do
Something that you can.

If by failure you are spurred,
You can win again.
Many a thing has this occurred.
To your fellow-men.
There are ways that you can take
When you're trouble-tossed.
It's when failure is a brake,
That a fellow's lost.

—Detroit Free Press.

Good Names

Mrs. Ayre-Shaft.—The people in the next apartment are having a lovely time deciding on names for their new baby.

Mr. Ayre-Shaft.—Tell them I suggest High and Dry.—Judy.

Using Central

Mrs. Nosed-Holla. Central I've just put some eggs on to boil can.

George W. Austin, of Kent, Ohio's oldest man, is dead at the age of 107. He was hale and hearty, both in body and mind up to three weeks before his death, when a fall in which his hip was broken, weakened him physically and hastened his death. He never worried and to that he ascribed his long days.

The sentiment of the country was never more peacefully inclined but we must admit that in our daily walk we meet a few men and brethren who feel it their duty to do a little more sporting and breathing of defiance than are really necessary at this time.—Columbus Journal.

That perpetual debate between ourselves and Brother McAfoe on Demon Rum has been temporarily laid aside while we back up the president and help settle the European mess.

Colonel Roosevelt will spend a week in June tarpon fishing in the Gulf near New Orleans. That leaves three other weeks in June for the Colonel to do something else exciting.—St. Louis Globe Democrat.

William Watson is berating the English for not going to the front to fight. Why doesn't Watson go?—Columbus S. C. State.

If we knew whether to pronounce it Gulf Light or the Gulf Flight, we could tell just how to deal with Germany over the sinking of the Gulflight.

We could brag that the Peerless has the best railroads in the world if we did not feel some cynic would rebut us by adding "and the worst passenger stations."

Old old world. Up in Vinton county they are complaining of the extremely dry weather.

POLLY AND HER PALS



ONE GULP AND CHIN CHIN IS NO MORE

Crops Are Fine

"Growing crops certainly look fine right now. The rains of the past few days have done a world of good to vegetation," said Otto Zellner, well-known Degwood Ridge farmer, who paid the city a visit Friday.

To Visit At Troy

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Givens, of McGraw P. O., left Saturday for a visit to the latter's sister, Mrs. Mary Burrell, at Troy, O. They will return trip they will visit their son, Lynn Givens, at Columbus.

YEGGMAN ROB IRONTON N. & W. FREIGHT DEPOT

BLOW BIG SAFE AND GET AWAY WITH \$221; OFFICIALS ARE BAFLED

Yeggmans blew the big safe in the N. & W. freight station at Ironton, Friday, securing \$221 and making good their escape without leaving the slightest clue.

The discovery was made by yard men on their way to work Saturday morning at 8 o'clock, and a half hour later local officials of the county had been notified. It was first planned to secure bloodhounds from Russell, Ky. to track the robbers, but the owner was absent.

Defective Robert Reno was directed to go to the scene on N. & W. train No. 10 Saturday noon.

Entrance to the depot was gained by cutting a window on the south side of the office. The big safe was completely wrecked. The robbers made no effort to get into the freight house and evidently were only after money.

Harry J. Doty, formerly of this city, is the N. & W. agent at Ironton. The local police received a message from the Ironton author-

ities calling of the robbers. The robbers, it is thought, to have been the work of an expert, who worked single handed. After the safe was blown, the door was blown completely from the safe. The robber cleaned up everything inside before making his escape, not leaving a single tool or anything else that might furnish the slightest clue to his identity.

Mrs. Anna Justice, who lives in the immediate vicinity of the station, which is located in Ironton, W. Va., and a half mile east of the passenger depot, believes that she saw the safe-blower. She was standing with a severe tooth-ache and she was unable to sleep at 11 o'clock Friday night. She was attracted to a man prowling about the building, occasionally peeping through the windows. So far no attempt was made to enter any other building in the city.

Wife Claims Husband Out Motorcycle Riding With Girl

A woman giving the name of Mrs. Wilson, 917 Ninth street, appealed to the police Friday evening to arrest her husband.

She reported that he was out on a motorcycle, riding with Effie Gordley, while she herself was obliged to remain at home and take care of their little baby.

An officer was dispatched to the Gordley woman's home, on Eleventh street, to apprehend the couple upon their return only to find they had "arrived" some minutes before. Wilson supposedly getting in the car, police claim.

BIG BANQUET IS TONIGHT

Word was received Saturday morning that Senator Warren G. Harding would arrive in Portsmouth some time Saturday afternoon in an automobile accompanied by his wife, and a party of friends. Governor Willis and his party of the state officials, politicians, and newspaper men from Columbus, will arrive on the 7:30 o'clock N. & W. train this evening.

No changes have been announced in the program for the big Republican banquet, and fully to be held at Kendall Hall, Seventh and Chillicothe streets, this evening. The banquet will be served immediately upon the arrival of the train.

Speeches by Governor Willis and Senator Harding will follow, with probably short addresses by other prominent officials present. Dr. P. J. McKim will serve as toast master, while Judge James W. Gammon will be chairman of the early exercises.

The hall is in gala attire for the big event, which is expected to be one of the most notable Republican gatherings ever held in this city. Besides the distinguished speakers, the guest list will include officials and party leaders of national, state, and district prominence.

MOORE STILL MISSING; WIFE IS STILL HOPEFUL

Arch Moore, a steel plant laborer, who mysteriously disappeared from his home, 1112 Robinson avenue, after fondly kissing his wife, Mrs. Alice Moore, and their children about 10:30 last night, is still reported missing.

Mrs. Moore blames a relative for her husband's disappearance. She heard from different sources that the woman had been openly expressing her satisfaction over Moore's leaving her wife.

Mrs. Moore says her husband was a good and loving husband, never went out at night, or anywhere without insisting upon her accompanying him. She never drank intoxicating liquor and treated the children as his own. They have been married less than a year. Her first husband, Joe Basfield, dropped dead at Nashville, O., several years ago.

Moore's young daughter, the family in desperate circumstances, as the wife has no relatives here to turn to for aid. Her father, William Moore, a coal miner, is ill at his home at Ironton. Moore left home saying he was going to a doctors office and would be back within an hour, expecting to go to work at noon. He had that shoe his working shoes in anticipation of going back to work that day.

Scatters Crowd With A Shocking Selection of Billingsgate

Notorious Fronie Goes On A Rampage; Had "Sniffed" Coke

Lawrence, sniffling of "coke" is blamed by the police for the series of outbreaks that kept them on the jump at Bucktown Friday evening.

The irascible Boss Iron was the first to be brought in, and also was soon after followed by that other fighting Amazon, Fronie Holingsworth, who had quite a "bun" on. Fronie had to be fairly dragged down the N. & W. railroad after her arrest for fighting with her lover, Walter Brown, who just returned from the workhouse. Numerous motorists and others out on pleasure drives, halted at the sight, but when Fronie, out of shock with a perfect realization of her position, the crowd lost no time in scattering. Once she was locked up she carried on like a raving maniac, ramming her fist through a window of the female ward and covering a couple of officers in her wrist. Dr. Brooks was lastly summoned to dress her wound and administered a hypodermic injection.

Maggie Smith, was later locked up on a charge of furnishing Fronie with liquor. It is claimed by the police that sniffling of cocaine, on top of intoxicating drinks, crazes the victims, and a determined effort will be made to round up these peddling the drug.

NEWSPAPERS COMMENT ON PRESIDENT'S NOTE

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The note contains a little emphasis and a little less circumlocution, but anyway, come what will, the contents of the note and its sentiment are endorsed by the unanimous sentiment of the great Rocky Mountain regions.

MILWAUKEE (WIS.) NEWS.

"The note puts matters where it is Germany's next move, if any move is to be made. The president has placed this nation where its moral attitude will need no explaining, no matter what necessity it may be called to justify."

SAN ANTONIO LIGHT.

"The note is a great state paper. The entire country will resolutely endorse the president in the stand he has taken, be the developments what they may."

LOS ANGELES TIMES.

"It is apparent that the feeling and attitude of the president and his advisers is conciliatory. That is the state of mind of the country. But America will insist to the last that there be no more murderous attacks on non-combatants, women and children."

CLEVELAND WAECHESTER UND ANZEIGER.

"Everything at once depends on what the real goal of our government is driving at. If so disposed, a political answer giving the German viewpoint would be accepted the same as England's denying answer to the American note protesting the rights of neutral commerce. This would be the wisest and best. But we cannot claim that some of the note's sentences, especially those towards the end, encourage such hopes."

PORTLAND (ME.) PRESS.

"President Wilson has taken a bold position. It behooves us to have full confidence in the president and be prepared to give him the support he has a right to expect."

RICHMOND (VA.) NEWS LEADER.

"Germany must now decide whether she will accept the American protest as an ultimatum or as an opinion resending an indefensible proclamation. If she is willing to abandon a policy of wholesale murder and cowardly assassination, she can do so with no loss of prestige by a simple disavowal of the acts of her naval officers. Our protest is equivalent and was meant to be so."

PORTLAND (ME.) ARGUS.

"The note will have the unqualified approval of the American people. The whole nation will be with him (the president) whatever eventually may arise."

MILWAUKEE (WIS.) WISCONSIN.

"There is no mistaking the firmness of the note nor its purpose if possible of averting an irreparable breach of friendly relations. In its stand adverse to the use of submarines against merchantmen, the government at Washington will command the support of every neutral nation."

GRAND RAPIDS PRESS.

"While presenting the situation the president wisely opens the way for negotiating for settlement and reparation provided Germany enters upon them in friendly feeling and with evident desire to avoid the supreme arbitration."

MILWAUKEE (WIS.) JOURNAL.

"The note asserts rights guaranteed American citizens, under the laws of nations to safety of

THREE MEN HURT AT NEW BRIDGE

While unloading machinery to be used in building the new Chesapeake and Ohio Northern railway from Sciotoville to Columbus, three foreigners were badly bruised Saturday morning, when a piece of machinery fell on them. They were taken to Dr. J. F. York's office, where their injuries were dressed. One of the men was pinned under the mass a short time and was badly bruised about the hips, but no bones were broken. The men live in a camp near Sciotoville.

BIKE RIDER RAMS AUTO AND COMES TO GRIEF

Philip M. Frick, a painter, of Wheelersburg, was painfully bruised about the legs and body, and his bicycle completely demolished in a collision with an automobile belonging to Contractor Keatley, in charge of the C. & O. Northern construction work near the covered bridge at Sciotoville, about seven o'clock Friday evening. Frick's injuries were attended to by Dr. F. M. Stewart, who stated that they were not of a serious nature.

The collision on his way home to Wheelersburg from his work and did not see the automobile, which was standing lengthwise across the road. Mr. Keatley had stopped the car to make a turn and found that there was not enough room. He was leaning out how to turn around when the collision occurred. Frick was badly bruised about the shoulders, legs and body, according to Dr. F. M. Stewart, who stated that they were not of a serious nature.

CLASS PLAY NETTED PRETENTIOUS PROCEEDS

Before another crowded house, the senior class of the Portsmouth High School, scored a repetition of the first night's success in "As You Like It" at the High School auditorium Friday evening. The show moved with the same precision and careful attention to detail as on the opening night, and pleased mightily. A large sum was realized from the sale of tickets, which went to pay for the beautiful scenery that is now a permanent feature of the auditorium.

On both evenings, several of the girl members of the cast were presented with flowers by their admiring friends.

Be "Keenful", Fred Fred Warner, of the Interstate Transfer Company, expects to venture on his first long distance auto trip Sunday. He and family will journey to Ironton in their new Ford touring car.

The Movies

101 Bison at Arcana Theater.

Saturday is always a big day at the Arcana Theater, simply because Manager Potts books some great thrillers for the last day of the week. Today will be no exception, for patrons will be served a program second to none in the city. To begin with, Manager Potts will show a two-reel Bison, 101, entitled "Mother's Instinct". This will be a heart story, one of great human interest and one where right triumphs over wrong. It is a western production and will hold the undivided attention of the audience.

As a second feature, Manager Potts will show a two-reel comedy, one of those side-splitting, rib-tickling affairs that will put you in a good humor for a week. The Arcana theater is gaining new friends each day. The house has been completely remodeled and is one of the finest theaters in Southern Ohio. Come tonight, only 5 cents and always 5 cents.

Sprained Ankle

James Wilkerson, whose home is said to be in New Boston, suffered a sprained ankle in a fall he met with in getting off a street car at Second and Chillicothe streets Friday afternoon.

To Build Garage

William R. Altman, of the Selby Shoe company, will soon erect a brick garage in the rear of his fine home at 1322 Lincoln street. Contractor Suter will build it.

Omar Crawford In The City

Omar Crawford, who represents the Griffin Clothing company of Baltimore, is in the city on a business trip, having started out on his fall trip. Mr. and Mrs. Crawford make their home in Peables, Adams county.

Dr. J. G. Gill, veterinary surgeon, made a professional trip to Buena Vista, Friday.

Eagles Memorial Sunday Afternoon

River City Aeris, Praterford Order of Eagles, will honor its dead with memorial services at Greenwood cemetery Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The lodge members will meet at the Aeris Hall, corner Sixth and Chillicothe streets, and march in a body to Greenwood cemetery, where the regular funeral service will be exemplified by Worthy President William Stalder and the other officers.

Flowers will be strewn upon the graves of the deceased brothers at the conclusion of the exercises.

GETTING TIRED OF DUMP FIRES

As a means of preventing the constant fires in the garbage dumps, between Court, Washington and Eleventh streets, city officials are now planning to run a four inch water pipe line to a point about the center, attach a fire hydrant and use the "wop" hose of the fire department in soaking the deposits every morning until all danger is removed.

FIRST MEETING IN 32 YEARS

W. J. Crooks, a retired cattle dealer of Idaho, now a resident of Fayetteville, Ark., is visiting his former schoolmate and friend, W. R. Jones, of Grandview avenue. This is their first meeting in 32 years. Mr. Crooks is surprised at the growth of Portsmouth, Ohio. He and his wife will remain in Ohio for some time visiting friends.

BONZO ON VACATION

Major Joseph Bonzo and his wife and family are still as active as ever. Bonzo's smiling face and military bearing will be missed from the Chillicothe street beat for ten days, he being the first among police officers to get his annual ten days' vacation.

Complain of Alley.

Complaints of an unsanitary alley between Second and Third and Waller and Union streets due to running sink water, have been referred to City Sanitary Inspector Arthur Hinton.

C. R. Wilson, Mrs. C. R. Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Marshall and Mrs. Maud Liddle composed an auto party from Huntington, W. Va., that dined at the Washington Friday.

Appeal For Aid

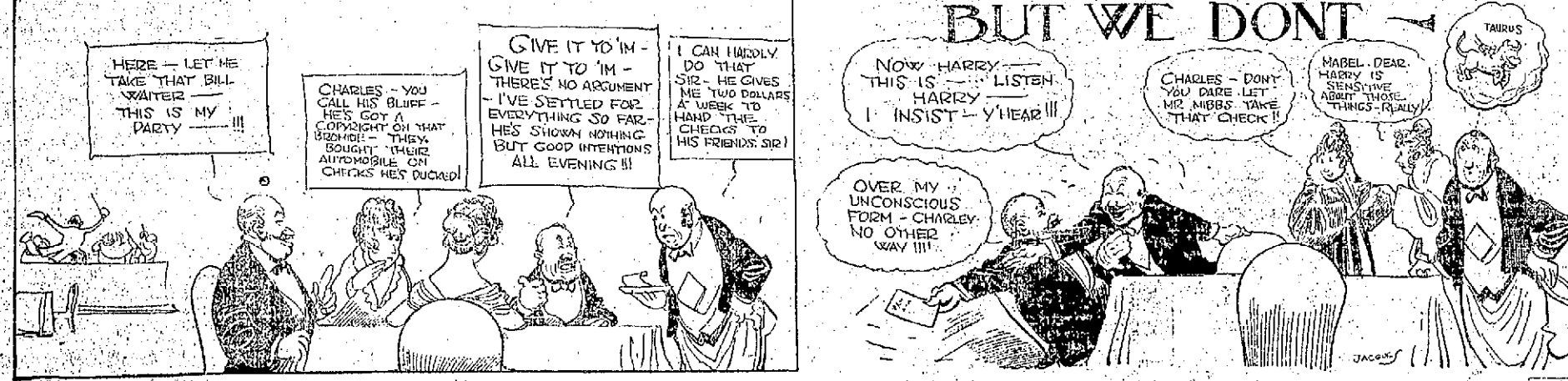
Several local people have received letters this week, soliciting their contribution to the relief fund being made up to New York for the people of Serbia and Poland. The letter states that the inhabitants of these countries are threatened with famine and epidemic of disease.

Prominent men and women have enlisted themselves in the cause and have styled their organization the "Committee of Mercy." Senator Ellis Root is the honorary president, while among the honorary vice-presidents are Charles W. Ellor, Mrs. J. Borden Harriman, Miss Katherine B. Davis and Hon. John Parrey Mitchell. August Belmont is treasurer of the fund.

Taken To The Hospital

Supt. John Addis, of the county infirmary, took Miss Mary Crissman and Samuel Hall to the tuberculosis hospital in Columbus, Friday.

IF WE SAID WHAT WE THOUGHT BUT WE DON'T



DROPS STOVE ON FOOT

William Justice, a teamster for John F. Blannigan, while loading household goods Thursday, dropped a stove on his foot. He is now hobbling about on crutches.

May Buy Boat.

W. A. Holmes, a Second street merchant, is thinking seriously of branching out into the steambot business. He is negotiating for the purchase of a small packet which he would operate in the local trade.